

BELIEVE GERMANS CAN'T CUT OFF THE RUSSIAN RETREAT

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ALLIES' AIR SQUADRONS BUSY

Bombardment of German Positions in France by Aircraft Reported—Tentative Also Losses Trenches in Vosges. Believed Serbia is Prepared to Satisfy Bulgaria.

London, Aug. 27.—The Germans, in full possession of the entire Brest-Litovsk line, have resumed the offensive in the Baltic provinces and are pressing the Russians both in the districts southeast of Mitau, and to the east of Kovno in an effort to reach the main line of railway which passes through Vilna and Dvinsk to Petrograd. This may in time prove the most important of the German operations, although at present they are using more troops in the pursuit of the Russians who are retreating from Brest-Litovsk and the line on either side of the fortress.

It is expected, however, that with the fall of Brest-Litovsk, which had been followed by that of Olita, south of Kovno, the armies of Field Marshal von Hindenburg will be reinforced and make another attempt to cut off the retreat of the Russians. It is believed here, however, that it is now too late to accomplish this purpose.

The Russians apparently had evacuated both Brest-Litovsk and Olita before the Germans arrived as the latter make no claim to the capture of guns and booty. The Austrian official report states that Archduke Joseph Ferdinand found the town of Kamenitz-Litovsk in flames when he arrived. There are indications therefore that the Russians still are carrying to the rear everything movable that might prove of use to the invaders and burning what they are unable to take with them.

The intimation that the Russians have fortified another front pending an opportunity for a renewed offensive is stated to be a new line is being strengthened by all the latest methods known to military engineers. The Russian armies still are intact with virtually all their guns and prospects of a more plentiful supply of ammunition. For this reason military writers here are of the opinion that Grand Duke Nicholas now should be able to make a stand as the Austro-German losses must have been very heavy.

Especially during the three weeks which intervened between the fall of Warsaw and the occupation of Brest-Litovsk. The capture of several German trenches in the Vosges was reported by Paris this evening but what is considered more significant is the continued activity of the air squadron, which has been bombarding German positions in France as well as munitions factories across the German border.

There has been no further news from the Dardanelles or the Balkans but it is now certain that Serbia is prepared to make a necessary sacrifice to satisfy Bulgaria and gain her co-operation in behalf of the allies. It may be several days, however, before the Serbian reply to the representations of the entente powers is received. The vote of the Serbian parliament was upon the principle involved and negotiations now are proceeding between Serbia, Greece and Rumania regarding the exact nature of the concessions to be made Bulgaria.

Wales is threatened with another coal strike as the result of dissatisfaction among the miners with the way in which the settlement recently arranged by David Lloyd George, minister of munitions, is being interpreted by the mine owners. Some 10,000 men already are out contrary to the advice of their leaders.

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Senator B. F. Shively of Indiana Very Ill



SENATOR B. F. SHIVELY

Information was received in Washington that Senator Benjamin F. Shively of Indiana, chairman of the committee on pensions and second ranking member of the committee on foreign relations, is seriously ill at Brookville, Jefferson county, Pa., the former home of Mrs. Shively. Mr. Shively has been ill for a long time. He left Washington on May 11 to enter a sanitarium in New York City and remained there until July 1, when he went to Brookville, much improved in health. Recently he suffered a return of his ailment, a septic form of diabetes, and the accounts reaching Washington represent him as being in a dangerous condition. Senator Shively's home is in South Bend. He served several terms in the national house of representatives as a democrat, but was in private life for years before he was elected to the senate in 1910. He was re-elected last year for another term of six years.

French Officials Express Confidence in Russian Leader

Paris, Aug. 27.—A joint telegram expressing entire confidence in the future has been sent to Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian armies by President Poincare, Minister of War Millerand and General Joffre, the French commanders. The text of the message follows:

"Our thoughts turn toward your troops who at the present moment merit the confidence of the whole world by reason of the struggle they are making. With complete confidence in the final victory of your armies we cord exist between the commanders of all of the allied armies is a certain omen of the glorious end in which with God's aid we will participate."

The grand duke replied: "The sentiments you express towards the Russian army are reciprocated. The close relations and common action existing between the commanders of all of the allied armies is a certain omen of the glorious end in which with God's aid we will participate."

American Shipping Needs Emphasized by State Department

Washington, Aug. 27.—Lack of American shipping facilities was emphasized today in a statement issued by the state department based on a consular report from Arabia. The statement follows:

"The department has received from the American consul at Aden, Arabia, a dispatch stating that the merchants at that port were complaining bitterly of the lack of shipping facilities between Aden and America, many merchants having had to discontinue business as the warehouses were full and they had no means of shipping the contents thereof to the United States. The dispatch further stated that the Italian vessels were giving the preference to shipments to Italy and as there is plenty of cargo for Italy there was no space for cargo to be trans-shipped to the United States and that the Italian lines had increased their freight rates by hundred per cent over the rates prevailing previous to the war."

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Chester Brings Refugees.
Washington, Aug. 27.—The scout cruiser Chester has left Beirut, Syria, with 450 refugees from the Holy Land, according to a report today to the navy department.

HAITI IS EXPECTED TO RATIFY THE U. S. TREATY PROMPTLY

CHARGE DAVIS AT PORT AU PRINCE FORECASTS IMMEDIATE ACCEPTANCE OF PLAN PROPOSED WHICH WILL ALLOW AMERICAN PROTECTORATE.

TO STRAIGHTEN OUT FINANCES

Main Provision is for Administration of Custom Houses—Some Opposition Is Expected from Rebellious Element in the Northern Part of Country. May Extend Ten-Year Clause.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Prompt ratification of the proposed American protectorate treaty by the Haitian parliament was forecast today in dispatches to the state department from Charge Davis at Port Au Prince.

President D'Artiguenave, head of the new government is committed to the convention and is believed to have assurances of sufficient support from senators and delegates to secure favorable action within a few days. He presided over the senate for several years and is popular among his former colleagues.

It became known today that plans of the United States for putting Haiti, in order to straighten out the finances of the country, is expected from the rebellious element on the north of the island, who do not look with favor upon the ending of revolutionary days, but little real trouble is looked for.

It is said that provision may be inserted in the treaty for an extension if necessary of the ten-year limit placed on the protectorate. Doubt has been expressed as to whether foreign capitalists are willing to make loans to the government or invest their money for development of the island's industries without some guarantee against a return to anarchistic conditions at the end of ten years.

Warships at Hampton Roads.
Norfolk, Va., Aug. 27.—Sixteen American warships arrived in Hampton Roads today after completing war maneuvers. Several came in with new "war" colors. Their sides were striped in white and grey paint to make their distance hard to estimate.

The fleet will have target practice off the Virginia capes beginning next week.

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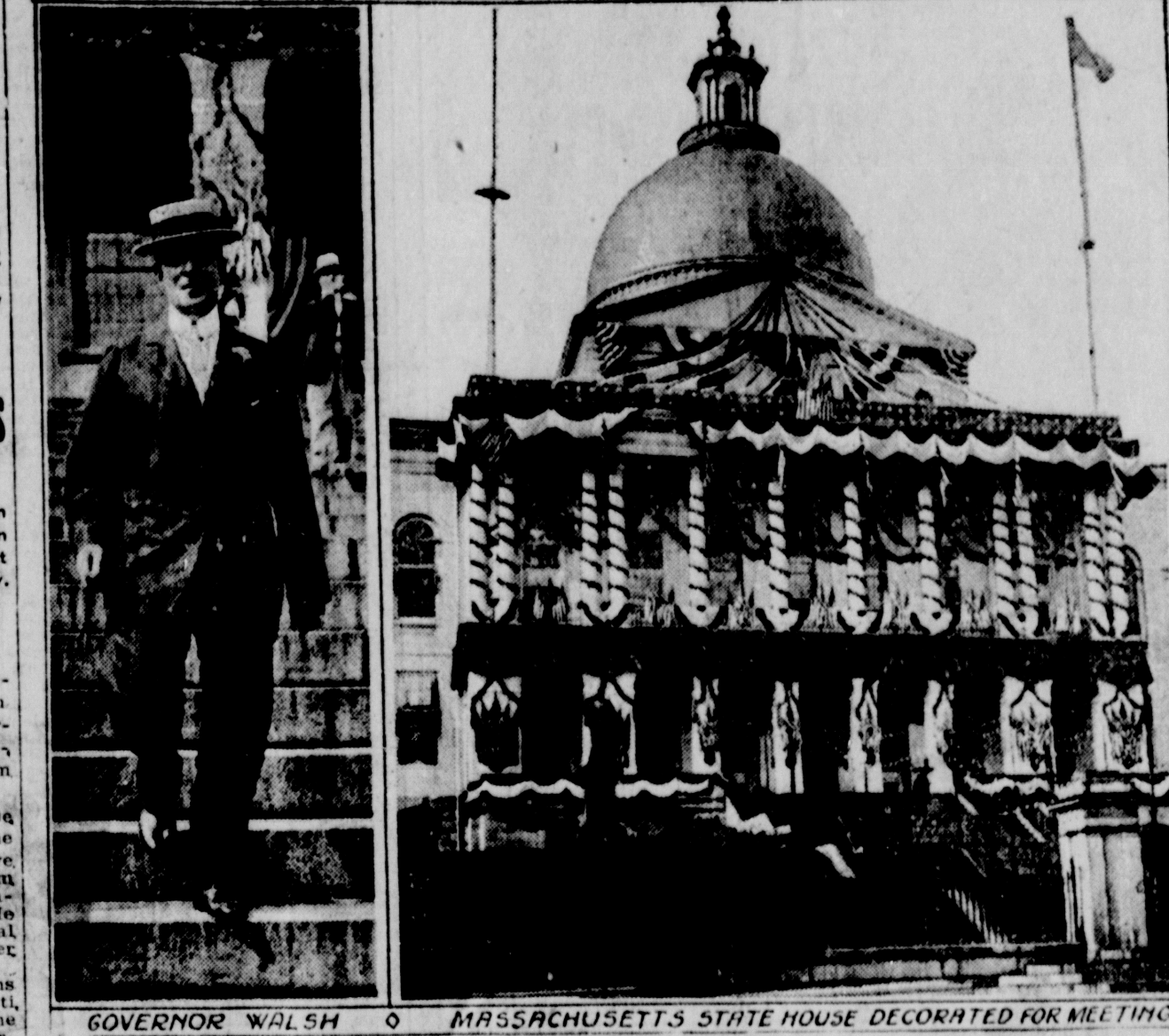
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National Defense Principal Topic at Meeting of Governors



GOVERNOR WALSH OF MASSACHUSETTS STATE HOUSE DECORATED FOR MEETING

Carranza Files a Suit in U. S. Court to Recover Vessel

Pensacola, Fla., Aug. 27.—Proceedings on behalf of General Carranza were instituted in the local United States district court today to secure possession of the Mexican schooner Isidoro now in port here with war supplies.

Rear Admiral Caperton and his marines will keep control of the situation on the island pending ratification of the treaty and setting up of the machinery of the protectorate. Some opposition is expected from the rebellious element on the north of the island, who do not look with favor upon the ending of revolutionary days, but little real trouble is looked for.

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Will Call Out Militia

Austin, Aug. 27.—That the Texas National Guard will be called out to protect the lives and property in the counties bordering on the Rio Grande in co-operation with federal troops now seems likely. While Governor Ferguson and Adjutant General Hutchins are silent on the subject, rumors are persistent here that in view of the numerous urgent appeals for state protection that are being received daily by the governor from Texans along the border, especially large ranch owners, including Caesar Kleburg, of the great King ranch, some decisive action is expected to be taken within the next few days.

One of Founders
of Republican Party
Dies at Pittsburg

Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—Colonel Archibald Blakeley, aged 88, died here tonight. He was said to have been the last survivor of the group of prominent men from various parts of the United States who met here on February 22, 1856, and took steps which resulted in the formation of the republican party.

Concerns Will Not
Ship Into Georgia
Until Frank Avenged

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 27.—Governor Harris today received a letter from a Texan, N. Y. medicine firm saying that as a result of the lynching of Leo M. Frank, no further supplies would be shipped into Georgia "until this brutal murder is avenged."

Some days ago a Bostonian wrote W. E. Chambers, purchasing agent for the city of Atlanta, refusing to quote prices on certain tools desired pending action against the lynchers.

Newspaper Man Is
Held by Carranza

Washington, Aug. 27.—It became known tonight that the case of H. W. Frances, a newspaper correspondent imprisoned at Vera Cruz for sending out dispatches unfavorable to Carranza, is giving the state department considerable concern. Two weeks ago a demand for the prisoner's release was ignored and all efforts to arrange bail for him have failed. Representations were renewed today and it is understood that the message was of a very vigorous character. Frances is a British subject, though employed by an American concern. Until recently he was held incommunicado, but as a result of repeated representations he now is permitted to see his friends.

Enrique Lorente, General Villa's Washington agent, left here tonight for Chihuahua for a conference with his chief, Manuel Bonilla will represent the Villa government during his absence.

Says Bankers Too Lenient.
Kansas City, Aug. 27.—What they termed the too-lenient policy of bankers in assisting farmers was challenged by railroad agricultural experts at the state agricultural and good roads conference which met here today.

Banking, railroad and educational interests represented agreed on the difficulty of co-operating with the farmers. One speaker said, owing to the difference of the farmers his railroad was doing less effective farm extension work in Missouri than in any state.

Russia Is Raising
2,000,000 More Men

London, Aug. 28, 4:02 a. m.—General Polivanoff, Russian minister of war, announces that Russia is raising another 2,000,000 men and that the fate of the campaign will not be decided before some time next year, according to the Petrograd correspondent of the Times.

Murder Mystery at
Gary, Ind., Unsolved

Gary, Ind., Aug. 27.—Rev. Edmund A. M. Kayser, who was shot and killed in his home in Tolleston, Ind., a suburb, last Tuesday night, was buried today, the mystery surrounding his death apparently still impenetrable, seventy-two hours after his body, bound with cord, was discovered in the yard of his home near the church of which he was pastor.

25,000 Men Join Miners' Strike in South Wales Fields

London, Aug. 27.—Reports from the South Wales coal fields this afternoon state that 25,000 miners already have joined the new strike.

The recurrence of labor troubles is due to growing dissatisfaction with the award of Walter Runciman, president of the board of trade, who acted as arbitrator in the recent strike. The situation was strained further when the colliers learned that Mr. Runciman had declined to see a deputation representing them.

The miners charge Mr. Runciman with going behind the arrangements made by David Lloyd-George and demand that Mr. Lloyd-George make good his promises to them.

Disputes from Cardiff last month said that the term accepted by the miners as a result of Mr. Lloyd-George's trip to Wales provided for a substantial increase in wages and other concessions considered by the strikers as tantamount to an admission of their claims on nearly all the outstanding points. Mr. Lloyd-George won the men over by promising concessions and by emphasizing the fact that uninterrupted operation of the coal mines was highly essential to the conduct of the war.

Mr. Runciman's award contained wage concessions, but rejected a number of demands relating to working conditions, hours of labor and arbitration arrangements.

Three Night Riders
Plead Guilty at
Hartford, Kentucky

Hartford, Ky., Aug. 27.—Three men who pleaded guilty in Ohio county circuit court to being members of a band of night riders, so-called "possum hunters" that for months spread terror throughout this section of Western Kentucky, tonight are serving sentences in the state prison. One other yesterday was acquitted by a jury and sixty-six defendants are awaiting trial.

Ephraim Reisinger, a coal miner, today admitted he pled the lash when Reuben Howard, a merchant and his wife were whipped at Horton the night of June 12. He sought to secure a three year sentence, as Jerry Clark and Ernest Webster, who participated in the whipping had done earlier in the week. Commonwealth Attorney Kings, however, refused a compromise and insisted that a five year sentence be imposed. Howard testified that he and Mrs. Howard were whipped until they bled. He said the reason given him for his beating was lack of industry. Reisinger, Clark and Webster were taken to prison after Reisinger accepted the longer term.

Alleged Robbers of
Bernice Bank Are
Caught by Marshals

Bartlesville, Okla., Aug. 27.—Four deputy United States marshals accompanied by R. D. Mode, cashier of the Bernice, Okla., State bank, early today rushed the home of Arch Ballard, northwest of Copan, and arrested Ballard and Bud Mackey, two Copan men, charged with robbing the Bernice bank last Monday. The two men were taken to Vinita where they were lodged in jail.

Two other men wanted for bank robberies in Stroud, Okla., and Niotaze, Kan., are said to have escaped during the capture of the Mackeys.

Sessions Close at Boston.
EXECUTIVES WILL RETURN TO THEIR SEATS WITH NEEDS OF STRENGTHENING ARMY AND NAVY IMPRESSED ON MINDS.

SALT LAKE CITY IN 1916
Large Audience Follows Addresses on Last Day—Redfield Urges Restraint of Speech and Sobriety of Thought During Trying Times—Need of Military Training Expressed.

Boston, Aug. 27.—After discussion of the naval and military resources of the country in which it was generally agreed that the United States was not adequately prepared against foreign invasion, the conference of governors ended its annual sessions today. No resolutions on the subject were proposed but several of the executives said they felt certain that all the governors would return to their states with the intention of demanding from their congressmen support in any program for strengthening the force of defense.

The governors chose Salt Lake City, Utah, as the place for next year's meeting and elected the governor of Utah, Wm. Spry, as chairman of the executive committee. Other committee members elected were Governor Henry C. Stuart of Virginia, Governor Arthur Capper of Kansas, Former Governor J. Franklin Fort of New Jersey was again chosen treasurer and Miles C. Riley of Madison, Wis., was re-elected secretary.

The conference program, which had included a review of the Atlantic fleet and a parade of 7,000 members of the Massachusetts militia, had aroused great interest in today's discussion. As a result the sessions were removed from the senate chamber to the more spacious hall of the house of representatives where a large audience followed the addresses with frequent applause.

The discussion was prefaced by remarks from Secretary of Commerce Wm. C. Redfield, who urged restraint of speech and sobriety of thought in what he termed these trying times.

"With that spirit of restraint," he added, "should we not be ready for any emergency of any kind that may arise? Should we not at least have the tools ready, not for offense, but for defense of our nation?"

Under the head "What should be the state's duty in the matter of national defense," Governor James F. Fielder of New Jersey urged an increase in the standing army by at least 25,000 men with an adequate line of training reserves. He said he felt that the states should be ready at all times to furnish 250,000 men to this reserve body.

Cordial agreement with Governor Fielder's statement was expressed by Governor E. F. Duane of Illinois, who said he felt the nation's main reliance for a reserve force might well be found in a requirement that every college and university receiving funds, federal or state, should give four years of military training to its students.

Not Ready for War.
"If war were declared on the United States by any of the principal European nations tomorrow it must be admitted our situation would be a precarious one," he said. Referring to the need of a great supply of munitions as developed by the European war, Governor Dunne said that "any Great Britain or German fleet could take points and destroy all means of manufacturing ammunition in the United States, such plants being almost entirely within 150 miles of New York City."

Governor W. S. Hammond of Minnesota, emphasizing what he said was the fact that this country had spent hundreds of millions more dollars for its army and navy than any other nation in the world, recommended the creation of a national reserve which would be able thoroughly to inform congress of the needs for national defense. He said he was not so pessimistic as some of the speakers of unpreparedness, "holding a suspicion that if need arose we would find these battalions of ours giving a very good account of themselves."

It was his opinion that the nation must depend largely upon the patriotism of its people for defense, that "the men would not stand for compulsory military service if the nation cannot afford to hire its soldiers." Belief was expressed by Governor Goldsboro of Maryland that an extension of measures of defense was necessary.

Governor Park Trammell of Florida felt that dependence was to be placed in the citizen soldiery and was applauded when he added "If the European war lasts two years more, as seems likely, there will not be a first class army or navy in the world except our own."

Governor David I. Walsh of Massachusetts suggested that state or federal provision be made for bringing in to the schools encouragement and opportunity for boys of the land to develop as citizen soldiers.

A new note was struck by Francis E. McGovern, former governor of Wisconsin. "We have been mentally chloroformed," he exclaimed, "by this international propaganda for peace. Our people have been over persuaded by this movement which has dubbed by the officers of our state militia 'tin soldiers' and have removed the incen-

live from officer and man. I believe there is as little danger to the nation today as at any time in a score of years. Nevertheless we can never be secure until we put the country in a state of real preparedness such as its vast interests demand."

The conference during the forenoon considered conservation of "manned and natural resources" as discussed by John I. Dix, former governor of New York, and Governor Ernest C. Lister of Washington.

Governor Dunne's Address.

Governor Edward F. Dunne, of Illinois, advised greater military and naval preparedness in his address today.

In part Governor Dunne said: "Since the commencement of the tremendous war now raging in Europe and the danger of our country being embroiled therein, all classes of people in the republic have been seriously considering the unpreparedness for war which seems to exist in our country."

"If war were to be declared against this country by one of the six greatest countries of Europe it must be conceded that the United States in its present condition of land and naval forces would be in a sorry predicament. For offensive warfare our land forces are so small as to be regarded with ridicule. Our naval armament might succeed for a time in damaging cities and fortifications upon the seacoast of a possible enemy in Europe, but separated so far as we would be from the base of supply, much of our naval warfare could not be of lasting duration."

"In defensive naval warfare we might for a time make a creditable showing upon our own coasts, but if any of these great nations should effect a landing of any considerable army, and if such an invasion would be unopposed. This serious situation of affairs has given even the most ardent advocate of peace between the nations grave concern."

"The present militia of all of the different states of the United States is wholly inadequate for the defense of the nation. In 1913 the total militia of the National Guards of all the states aggregated approximately 120,000 men, such a number of men would be wholly inadequate for the defense in case of war with any first-class power."

"To rely upon the regular army of 100,000 men, and a militia of 120,000 men in case of war with a first-class power would be an act of the republic must be reorganized, regenerated and enormously increased. There should be at least a body of citizen-soldiers trained in the use of arms, organized and maintained throughout the different states of the United States in the aggregate of at least 2,000,000 men. How can this be accomplished without imposing to great a hardship upon its members and upon the taxpayers of the nation? It can be accomplished by the adoption of two measures."

"First: By requiring every college and university in the United States which receives from any state or from the federal government any support or appropriation of money, to give a military training to its students during the four years of the university or college course. As part of the physical and mental education of the student, he should be compelled, if in such an institution, as part of his curriculum to devote sufficient time to enable him to become a well-informed soldier in time of war. That this can easily be accomplished is proved by what has been accomplished in some of the universities."

"One of the greatest needs of the British and Russian armies at the present time is their need of trained officers to take charge of the enlisted men. We should profit by the example furnished in this awful war now prevailing in Europe. For defensive purposes at least we should have an adequate number of well-drilled men, graduates of our educational institutions who could in case of war take charge of and whip into shape the soldiers who would fly to the defense of the country's integrity."

"Another method of increasing the numbers and efficiency of our state militia would be for the federal government to make more liberal appropriations for the maintenance of the same. On the average the militiamen in the state of Illinois do not receive to exceed \$15 each a year, and that only when in active service."

"This begrudging allowance is not attractive to the ordinary farmer, mechanic or clerk. If all of this should be changed, if a militiaman were paid one dollar for each night that he spent in military training or drill hall or arsenal, with a provision that he should receive no compensation unless he attended at least forty nights during the year, I believe that instead of 120,000 militiamen we would have at least 1,500,000 or 2,000,000."

A message from President Wilson in reply to the telegram sent to him Tuesday was read to the governors' conference today. The president, addressing Governor Walsh, said: "I deeply appreciate and am greatly heartened by the generous resolution of confidence and support passed by the governors in conference and by that you will convey to them my heartfelt thanks and my cordial best wishes for a successful and profitable conference. I wish that I could bring the greeting in person."

The speech yesterday of Cole L. Blenise, in which the former governor of South Carolina expressed approval of "lynch law," provoked further dissent during the morning discussions. Governor Walsh said he objected to the statement of Blenise that "when mobs are no longer possible, liberty will be dead."

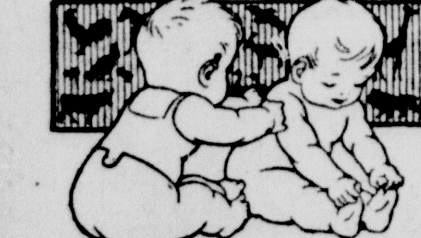
"In my judgment," said the Massachusetts executive, "there can be no liberty without obedience to law."

Governor Stuart of Virginia said that his was a conservative state and that his people stood first, last and all the time for rigid enforcement of the law.

Waco Nurserymen and Florists Are Observing Law

Ed L. Ayers, chief inspector of orchards and nurseries, state department of agriculture, was here yesterday from Austin and inspected the Waco nurseries and florists' gardens, finding that all of them were complying with the state law. John Mohan was detailed by Sheriff Fleming to accompany Mr. Ayers on his inspection trip. The only objection Mr. Ayers made was that some of the nurserymen had been receiving stock and selling it without having it inspected.

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Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap are absolutely free from anything harsh or injurious and can therefore be used freely for babies' skin troubles—eczema, heat rash, teething rash, chafings, etc. They stop itching instantly and speedily heal even severe and stubborn eruptions. Doctors have prescribed the Resinol treatment for the past 20 years.

Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap are sold by all druggists. Samples free. Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

GERMANY'S TWO POPULAR HEROES "SNAPSHOT" BY THE KAISERIN



THE KAISERIN AND VON HINDENBURG... (PHOTOGRAPHED BY THE KAISERIN)

Germany's two most popular war heroes, the Kaiserin and Field Marshal von Hindenburg, are depicted together on a photograph which is having the greatest vogue in Germany. The picture has added interest because it was "snapped" recently by the Kaiserin on a visit to the eastern front, where the emperor and his general whose armies have inflicted the recent defeats on the czar's forces.

EFFECTS OF EARTH LIQUID ARE TOLD

By Mrs. Dugger, a Pioneer Alabama Lady—Her Son Was Responsible.

It is such statements as the following that are making Vitalitas widely popular and bringing about its use in homes throughout the country. Mrs. J. T. Dugger is one of Birmingham's oldest citizens, her home is 1430 Aloise street, and she came to that city before street cars were in use. "I cannot find words strong enough to tell you what I think of Vitalitas," she said. "For ten years I had the worst kind of stomach disorders, followed by severe headaches. I would actually hate to eat, knowing I would have to go through suffering. I can say truthfully I did not consider life worth living. Last winter I considered my case hopeless. One day my son bought a bottle of Vitalitas and said: 'Mother I want you to take this, which I did and today there is not a woman who feels any better than I do. Everybody who knew me before taking Vitalitas will verify this statement. It is certainly a blessing to suffering humanity.'"

Vitalitas contains no alcohol or habit forming drugs, it is pure and wholesome and has only chemical mineral properties and forces compounded within the earth by nature. It is performing marvelous things for sufferers of chronic disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood.

You can test Vitalitas at Fostell's Drug Co. For sale by druggists.

Traveling Men Will Meet Here Sunday

Tom G. De Cordova announces that a meeting of all traveling men living in Waco or who travel out of this city will be held at the Waco hotel Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The object of the meeting is to formulate plans for traveling men's day at the Cotton Palace.

The traveling men are the best friends the Cotton Palace has, and the management has set aside one day for their special benefit. Traveling men always do things in a lively fashion. The public will look forward with eager expectation to the program that will be arranged by the knights of the grip. It is hoped there will be a large attendance on Sunday morning.

Complaints Filed Under Pure Food Law

Complaints alleging violation of the pure food laws in failing to protect food products from dust, flies, etc., have been filed in the justice courts here against A. Kronberger, C. O. Miller, J. J. Potts, Louis Santikos, S. Egar and David George. The complaints were made before Fred H. Kingsbury, assistant county attorney, by representatives of the state pure food department. Examining trials are set for next Tuesday in each instance.

Rain at Gainesville.

Gainesville, Aug. 27.—Gainesville and North Cooke county was visited by the heaviest rainfall this year last night. Streets were overflowed and basements filled with water. Three hundred and fifty feet of track of the M. K. & T. railway was washed out three miles west of Gainesville, suspending train service over night. The precipitation was four and a half inches in this city.

Bulgarian Czar May Head Armies



CZAR FERDINAND (Facing Camera) AND GENERAL

Bulgaria, thinking herself defrauded as a result of the two Balkan wars, is awaiting the decision of the other Balkan states on Macedonia before deciding which way to jump in the war. Czar Ferdinand, Bulgaria, who may lead his troops in case of battle, is member of the German royal house of Coburg.

Methodist Meeting Still on at Dallas

Dallas, Aug. 27.—The educational commission of the Methodist church, south, continued its executive sessions at the Adolphus hotel Friday morning. It is probable that the discussion on a permanent charter for the Southern Methodist university will be completed by the next session and members of the commission will be ready to vote on it.

The details of the matters being considered by the commission will not be given out until the meeting is over and a formal report is prepared. General phases of the university work were discussed again today.

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GERMANY FORMALLY NOTIFIES UNITED STATES OF ITS INTENTIONS.

WILL NOW AWAIT THE REPORT

Commander of Submarine Must Make Statement to Berlin Before Further Developments.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Germany's intention to offer full satisfaction to the United States for the sinking of the liner Arabic with a loss of two American lives, was communicated formally to the state department today by Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, on instructions from the Berlin foreign office. The ambassador read to Secretary Lansing a memorandum outlining the position of his government. It promised that if it found that the Arabic was attacked without warning the imperial government not only would promptly disavow the act but would give the United States "full satisfaction." This, it is well known, would have to include reparation for the Americans lost and assurances that such tragedies would not be repeated.

No further developments in the situation are expected now until the submarine commander who sank the Arabic has reported to Berlin. Meanwhile President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, although visibly encouraged and relieved by Count von Bernstorff's assurances and reports from Ambassador Gerard on his conference with Foreign Minister von Jagow, are in a waiting attitude. Before the American government can speak there must be forthcoming the German disavowal and explanation of what all evidence received has seemed to prove was an "unfriendly act."

It became known tonight that the state department had been informed that Germany is ready to remove a discussion of the Lusitania incident and to offer reparation for the American lives lost when that vessel was sent to the bottom without warning by a German submarine. There has been no response to the last American note on this subject, and it is known that the United States would not listen to reparation proposals with the situation created by the sinking of the Arabic still pending. With the attack on the Arabic disavowed, however, and guarantees given against repetition a German communication explaining that the Lusitania was torpedoed as a reprisal against Great Britain under a misapprehension that she was armed and that killing of Americans was regretted and not intended and offering reparation, which would pave the way for amicable closing of the incident.

About the only shadow over the optimistic official circles today was cast by the "if" in the promise conferred by Ambassador Bernstorff. Some officials thought a disposition by Germany to question the evidence that the Arabic was a peaceful passenger boat, unarmed and innocent, might lead to indeterminate and unsatisfactory negotiations. In German quarters confidence was expected that the submarine report would soon reach Berlin. The American note to England on this subject has been in preparation for some time and probably will be dispatched, as soon as the negotiations with Germany are on the way toward satisfactory adjustment. The communication, practically completed when the allies' action in declaring cotton contraband made re-drafting necessary.

Ginner to Test Constitutionality of Warehouse Law

Tyler, Aug. 27.—Steps were taken today toward testing the constitutionality of the permanent warehouse law. Dabney White, secretary of the Texas Ginner association, also owner of a number of gins, has begun these legal proceedings by ginning a bale of cotton today, he refusing to take the three samples as required by this law. Inasmuch as his customer had given him a written request that he did not want his cotton sampled, as this law requires the ginner to do.

The county attorney has filed a complaint against Mr. White and he has refused to give bond and instead has made application for writ of habeas corpus to the court of criminal appeals.

Mr. White justifies his attack on the constitutionality of this law by claiming that it forces the farmers and ginner to lose \$1,500,000 annually and in return neither receives any benefits, as these samples have proven to be absolutely worthless in trading.

DEATHS

George P. Isbell Dies.
George P. Isbell, 57 years old, died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at his residence, 1923 Ethel avenue. The deceased was a Confederate veteran, and a retired farmer, coming here from Galesburg, Mo., where he lived for many years. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Rev. A. H. Isbell, pastor of the Baptist church, Lamesa; I. I. Isbell, principal of the high school, Quanah; Mrs. Cora Isbell, George Isbell, Jr., and Miss Ellie Isbell, Waco. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at Oglesby, where the body will be sent by the John Fall Undertaking company. Rev. J. H. Baptist, pastor of the Protestant Heights Baptist church, of which Mr. Isbell was a member, will conduct the services and interment will be in Post Oak cemetery, Oglesby.

Mrs. Ed Crosgrove Dies.
Mrs. Ora Crosgrove, 28 years old, died at 7:30 last night at the family residence, 1400 Webster street. She is survived by her husband, Ed Crosgrove, and one daughter, Miss Edith Crosgrove. The funeral will be held from the residence at 4 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. O. E. Bryan officiating, with interment at Oakwood.

Natural Mistake.
Officer 656—Well, what's the trouble? Flat Dweller—"No trouble at all." "Then what did you call me for?" "I didn't call you." "I distinctly heard a policeman's rattle." "You were mistaken, that's all." "Yes, I was winding my dollar watch."—Youngstown Telegram.

Happy Man.
"To what do you attribute your remarkable health?" "Well," replied the very old gentleman, "I reckon I got a good start on most people by being born before germs was discovered, thereby having less to worry about."—Washington Star.

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The S. S. Arabic, Sunk By Submarine



The White Star liner Arabic, of 15,801 tons, torpedoed by an unseen German submarine while 65 miles off East-net light on her way to New York, may complicate still further our relations with Germany, according to the general opinion. Four hundred and twenty-three persons were on board—181 passengers and 242 crew. She sank in ten minutes. From the most accurate information available there were at least 25 Americans aboard. The White Star offices in London state that 25 American passengers sailed, and in Liverpool it is reported that there were some Americans in the crew. The Arabic was torpedoed without warning, according to the White Star officials. She was struck on the starboard side, about 100 feet from the stern. One torpedo did the work. Fortunately for those on board the weather was fair and the sea calm. But the item which counted for most in saving so many of the passengers was the splendid teamwork and efficiency of the crew, which managed to load sixteen lifeboats and lower them safely before the steamer sank.

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Cold Wave Is Over.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The cold wave which spread frosts and record low temperatures today over much of the country east of the Mississippi was almost spent tonight. Weather bureau experts declare it would be warmer tomorrow and that by Sunday the wintry storm causing the abnormal temperatures would have passed into the Atlantic, leaving behind generally fair and warmer weather.

The disturbance was traced from the northwest Canadian provinces southward to the middle western states and tonight was passing through the

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Arson Gang Head Arrested.
Portland, Ore., Aug. 27.—Stanford Currier, alleged by the police to be the head of an arson ring operating in Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, was arrested here today and held in jail for lack of \$20,000 bail.

According to Fire Marshal J. Stevens the alleged arson ring is responsible for fire damage amounting to several thousand dollars in Pacific coast cities.

Unitarian Church Conference.
San Francisco, Aug. 27.—The general conference of Unitarian churches, the twenty-sixth annual session of which will end tomorrow, today elected Wm. Howard Taft president of the conference for the ensuing two years.

Gangs of Girls and Boys Commit Many Chicago Burglaries

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Two girls and six boys, none more than 18 years old, comprising two separate gangs of burglars, were arrested tonight and, according to the police, have confessed a third girl, not yet 19 years old, is under arrest charged with being the leader of the other two girls, and two men are held on the charge of receiving stolen property. The alleged tutor is Mrs. Mary Hammersmith, known to the police as "Baldheaded Mary."

According to the confessions the police say they have received, the girls have been robbing houses for more than two years and have obtained many hundreds of dollars worth of loot. The officers assert that "Baldheaded Mary," so called from a disease which left her without hair, is one of the cleverest of "afternoon prowlers" with whom they have had to deal.

Fire at Clarksdale, Miss.
Clarksdale, Miss., Aug. 27.—Fire tonight totally destroyed the large planing mill of the Duss-Hetzler company, the loss being estimated at between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

It was not learned tonight whether insurance was carried by the company. The company has branch mills at Brinkley, Hope and Little Rock, Ark.

Few Poor Farms in Kansas.
Topeka, Kan., Aug. 27.—Twenty of the 105 Kansas counties have no poor farms or indigent poor while in other counties the poor farms are self-supporting, according to a report made today by J. W. Howe, secretary of state board of control. In the year ending July 1, the various counties cared for only 900 paupers, the report says.

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WACO'S YOUTHFUL VANDALS.

The following editorial excerpt from
the current issue of The Lariat, the
weekly student publication at Baylor
university, is sufficient to make every
loyal Wacoan blush for shame:

"It is amazing that citizens who
claim to be law-abiding should allow a
great institution in their midst to be-
come the prey of the depredations of
their badly reared children. Yet with-
in three days after the new athletic
building had been completed, children
of the Baylor neighborhood had carved
their names with knives in the sub-
terranean roof. The canvas-covered seats
are being defaced daily by the sons of
so-called respectable citizens who live
within the shadow of the university.
The notice coming from the authorities
that the property is to be placed un-
der police care will seem hard to some
—but it's time for somebody's children
to stay home at nights is the decree
of those who care for the grounds."

It seems a pity that there are chil-
dren in this city, and especially in
the shadow of an institution of higher
learning, who have been so grossly
neglected by their parents or guar-
dians that they do not know better
than to deface property of this or any
other character. And we place the
responsibility upon the parents, for
there is where the responsibility rests.
If parents had begun with these chil-
dren when they were small, instruct-
ing them in the ways that were right
and seeing that they were at home
at nights instead of wandering about
over the city seeking what they might
mutilate or destroy, it would have been
just as natural by this time for those
children to appreciate and respect pub-
lic property as to abuse it and dis-
figure it.

The Alumni association of Baylor
university went to an expense of \$7000
to erect on the Baylor campus the
finest grandstand and bath house
owned by any college in the state. It
was hoped that it would stand there
as an adornment to Carroll Field, a
monument to the association, and as
an inspiration to succeeding alumni
and ex-students to contribute some-
thing to the upbuilding of their alma
mater. But that ardor and enthusiasm
for Alma Mater is going to be cooled
somewhat if the citizens of Waco are
going to permit their children to go
down and mutilate and disfigure the
property thus contributed.

Now that statistics show that Dan-
ville, Ill., has had 84 saloons, it is
easier to understand the ease with which
Uncle Joe Cannon held his grip on his
seat in congress.

Announcement is made that Vassar
college will give instruction to women
in law and journalism. Why not throw
in a few courses in housekeeping and
the rearing of children?

Houston is now giving civil service
examinations for policemen, and we
hope the day is not far distant when
other Texas cities, including Waco,
will follow the example.

In the hope of so training our mid-
shipmen that they will be a real factor
in the system of national defense that
is being planned for this country, Sec-
retary of the Navy Daniels is con-
sidering the establishment of the fol-
lowing order: "All midshipmen must
not only be permitted but should be
expected to fight with their fists for
what is right and against what is
wrong in settling all personal affairs
under rules to be formulated and en-
forced by the superintendent of the
United States naval academy."

W. J. BRYAN, OBSTROCTOR.

When Mr. Bryan resigned the por-
folio of state and withdrew from the
cabinet because he could not agree
with the president, we still believed he
was a patriot and was moved, in part,
by patriotic impulses in sacrificing
himself rather than embarrassing the
president. When he pledged himself
to continue to support the adminis-
tration and its policies, we took him at
his word.

But no sooner had his resignation
been accepted and he announced his
support of the president for the future,
than he began issuing his series of
addresses on his views of what our
attitude toward Germany should be,
which was anything but supporting
the president, as was the duty of every
citizen of the country in such a crisis
as this country then confronted.

Not content with these expressions
of his views on the matter Mr. Bryan
has since become the persistent cham-
pion of an international course entire-
ly different from that outlined by this
government and in his paper, The
Commoner, urges his readers to write
to members of congress and bring
pressure to bear upon them to force
the administration to change its policy,
back down from that stand it has
taken and consistently followed heretofore,
and become subservient to
whatever course Germany, and not our
own sense of what is right and proper,
says we should pursue.

There are those who believe that the
indifference which the German gov-
ernment has manifested toward most
of our protests over the wanton de-
struction of the lives of innocent men,
women and children on the high seas
has been due to the fact that the
Germans believed Mr. Bryan repre-
sented a large element of American
thought and that so long as this atti-
tude was maintained by so many
Americans the Germans could con-
tinue to act as they desired without
impunity. We have never attributed
so much weight to Mr. Bryan's influ-
ence, but his course cannot but be
embarrassing to President Wilson in
his already difficult task and both
Mr. Bryan's own pledge and his obli-
gations as a citizen demand that he
cease his obstructive tactics and sup-
port the president in his foreign pol-
icies.

In his present course Mr. Bryan is
proving as never before his unfitness
for the high office he has sought so
often, and in failing to live up to his
promise to support the president he is
losing that confidence which the peo-
ple of this country have always im-
posed in his personal integrity.
As between the two extremes of-
fered by ex-President Roosevelt and
shall we say, ex- (?) Candidate Bryan,
it is difficult to determine which is
the greater offender, for both of them
should support Mr. Wilson as Mr. Taft
is so loyally doing. But we believe the
offense of Mr. Bryan is the greater
in that he is directly encouraging the
Germans not to comply with the just
demands of this country, while Mr.
Roosevelt is appealing only to the
over-zealous martial element of our
people. Fortunately, neither of them
has sufficient influence today to give
him any large following in his present
course.

Women of New York City are will-
ing to make large concessions for
votes for their suffrage amendment
that will be voted upon in New York
state November 2. They have placed
posters in the car barns—and there
are several thousand motormen and
conductors employed by the traction
companies of New York City—which
read as follows: "Conductors! Mo-
torists! Forget your grouch at us.
Give us the vote and we will try never
to fall off the car backward, never
to climb on in front while in motion,
never to forget our transfers and never
to say Johnnie is three when he is
ten."

The Public Health Reports of the
United States Public Health Service
for August 13, 1915, publishes an ar-
ticle by Prof. H. W. Conn of the Wes-
leyan university, Middletown, Conn.,
on the discrepancies in the reports of
analyses of supposedly identical sam-
ples of milk. This report, which is
in considerable length, considers
whether these discrepancies are due
to the inevitable difficulties in bac-
teriological analyses, and the improve-
ments which may be made in the
method of technique of such analyses.
In October, 1914, four of the large
laboratories in New York city deter-
mined upon a co-operative test by
which some of these questions could,
if possible, be answered. The planning
and co-ordinating of the whole series
was in the hands of a referee, and the
tests lasted seven months and in-
volved something like 20,000 separate
analyses by a variety of methods. The
author concludes that the present
standard methods of milk analysis
are in need of revision; that individual
analyses under the best condition are
subject to considerable variation so
that no single count can be properly
relied upon. The article contains
nineteen separate conclusions, and will
doubtless prove of great value to those
interested in the standardization of the
purity of milk.

EVERY DAY ADVERTISING DAY.

The popular saying that "These are
advertising days" cannot be contro-
verted. It is equally appropriate to
observe that "every day is advertising
day" with up-to-date Americans, ob-
serves the Boston Globe.

Shrewd financiers and merchants do
not neglect to advertise in one form or
another almost every day in the year.

Advertising in the press started
probably longer ago than can be defi-
nitely ascertained. China was issuing
a newspaper thousands of years ago.
In Europe advertisements appeared in
the newspapers as early as 1648, and
from that time to this the public has
looked upon advertising with growing
favor.

The enterprising man who desires to
buy or sell something does not overlook
newspaper advertising. He cannot af-
ford to. Experience soon teaches him
the value of letting people know how
he and they can be of mutual assist-
ance.

Rich men in numerous lines of in-
dustry made their first money by care-
fully consulting the contents of news-
papers. A first-class journal is full of
valuable suggestions which keen men
of affairs know how to use.

It is a good plan for all ambitious
and enterprising citizens who need to
get in touch with the public rightly to
realize that, as a rule, every day
should be advertising day. And they
should carefully select the right me-
dium for their newspaper advertise-
ments, making the same large or small,
according to their means. The small
advertiser usually develops into a large
one if he handles his first profits judi-
cially.

Tom Campbell, Sage of Palestine,
has come out for woman suffrage.

Governor Ferguson has added 1200
acres and 200 blooded cattle to his
Bosque county ranch.

It is refreshing to note that only two
newspapers of Georgia approved the
work of the mob that lynched Leo M.
Frank.

The best thing we have heard of
Carranza doing recently was his clos-
ing the majority of the saloons in the
state of Sonora.

In preferring not to have politics
mixed with his religion our young
friend, Pat M. Neff, Jr., evinces a
wisdom and good taste superior to
that of many persons many years his
senior.

Parents having children in the pub-
lic schools will do well to heed the
suggestions of Dr. Ferrell, school
physician, and have such children as
must be vaccinated given that treat-
ment before the schools open, Septem-
ber 20.

For genuine hospitality those towns
on the Sap railroad between here and
Giddings are hard to beat. They en-
joyed the visit of the Waco trade trippers
greatly, it appeared, and the Waco-
ans have never had a better time
anywhere.

While Waco has the Texas league
pennant clinched we cannot but com-
mend the work of the San Antonio
squad, which started near the bottom
at the close of last season and with new
material worked up to second place
this year. Owner Benson and Man-
ager Leidy have done their work well.

E. L. Blackshear, late principal of
the Prairie View Normal and Indus-
trial school for negroes at Prairie
View, has been chosen to take charge
of the negro school at Nacogdoches,
and will undertake to build up there
a school similar to the one he has man-
aged so successfully for the past fif-
teen years.

Postmasters are patriots, by the
very nature of things, but the Texas
P. M.'s are also heroes, as is evidenced
by the fact that the keepers of the
nine offices that were destroyed by
the storm and flood of last week on
the Southeast Texas coast remained
at their place of duty until they had
barely a chance to escape with their
lives.

The Satilla, the boat that inaugu-
rated the direct freight service be-
tween New York and Houston, left
Houston on its initial return trip at
daylight Friday with 500 tons of Texas
products, including cotton, cotton seed
oil, green hides, rice and cowpeas.
The remainder of the cargo was to
be picked up at other points along the
coast.

One of the largest cotton crops ever
grown in Texas was in 1900, following
the heavy rains attendant upon the
storm and flood that swept Galveston,
and there is every reason to believe
that the general rains of last week will
have a similar effect. The Texas
cotton farmer should throw away his
pessimism, get ready to gather a big
crop, and if the price is not good when
he gathers it, bring it to the free
warehouse at Waco and hold it for a
better figure.

SHOULD USE CARE IN
SEED TAKEN FROM GIN

GROWER UNLESS HE AND GIN-
NER ARE CAREFUL MAY GET
MIXED SEED.

Sixteen Per Cent of Neighbor's Variety
May Find Way to
Planter.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Few cotton
growers realize when they take back
seed from an ordinary gin to use in
planting the next crop, the extent to
which their seed may be mixed with
the seed of the cotton ginned just
previous to their lot. Yet this matter
is of vital importance to all cot-
ton raisers who wish to grow a uni-
form variety of cotton. As every stu-
dent of cotton breeding knows, even a
few seeds of another variety in a cot-
ton field may through cross-fertiliza-
tion cause interbreeding and deterio-
ration in large number of plants. In-
stead of getting only a few seeds from
a neighbor's lot of cotton, however,
actual investigations by specialists of
the department of agriculture show
that in certain cases a lot of seed will
contain as much as 14 to 16 per cent
of seed left in the gin boxes from the
cotton ginned just before. In the
cases investigated not only has there
been a large percentage of seed from
the variety ginned just previously, but
it is found that some seeds may re-
main from the second bale preceding.
It follows, therefore, that a grower
may very readily mix one or two other
varieties with his special kind of seed.

Where a grower is particular about
his seed, he can greatly minimize the
mixing by quick, simple and inex-
pensive measures in which the aver-
age grower will be glad to co-operate.
The following precautions, which seem
to be entirely practicable and which,
in fact, are now exercised in some lo-
calities, are strongly recommended in
Department Bulletin No. 28, Cotton
Ginning as a Factor in Cotton Seed
Deterioration, soon to be issued.

The patron should accompany to the
gin the lot of seed cotton from which
he expects to have seed for planting,
and he should aid the ginner in seeing
that everything possible is done to
prevent mixing.

He should see that the flues, feed-
ers, and cleaners are cleaned as thor-
oughly as their construction will per-
mit before he allows his seed cotton to
enter them.

The roll should be dropped from the
roll box and the belt should be thor-
oughly cleaned. The dropping of the
roll is an operation with which all
gimmers are familiar. The construc-
tion of the gins is such that the roll
can be dropped and the box cleaned
in a very few minutes. Some improv-
ed gins are arranged so that the roll
box may be emptied without stopping
the gin, thereby further simplifying the
operation.

Having cleaned the machinery up to
and including the roll box, the next
step is to prevent the seed of the var-
iety to be ginned from falling into the
conveyor. It is impracticable to clean
the conveyor satisfactorily, and there-
fore it should not be used when plant-
ing seed is to be obtained. By ad-
justing the position of the apron of
each gin the seed can be made to fall
upon the floor in front of the gin in-
stead of into the conveyor. From
here it can be sacked easily.

The floors about the gins should be
cleaned to the extent that no seeds
are left lying around or close mixing.
Canvases spread upon the floor to re-
ceive the seed from the gins is often
used.

Such precautions require time in
which to carry them out effectively,
and time spent in this manner natu-
rally reduces somewhat the amount of
ginning that otherwise could be done
in a day. On this point the ginner
may find cause to base objection to
such procedure, but it should be pos-
sible to meet the objection by fully
compensating him for the extra time
consumed. The expense of special
ginning in some sections may be re-
duced by arranging to have it done
on specified days or at the close of the
season, when more time is available. In
any event, the amount of money that
may be required to secure the ginner's
co-operation in the maintenance of
pure seed is almost negligible in view
of the favorable effect such precau-
tions will have upon the farmer's crops
in succeeding years.

Amateur Philosophy

(Contributed.)
He who admires courage has a spark
of it.
That little learning which breeds
contempt is of a spurious sort.
The list of the original elements
was never by complete.
"Why should the tiger be flattered?"
exclaims Hamlet. Plainly he was no
politician.
The incognito advertisement, like
the face behind the mask, has some-
thing to conceal.
A little daily attention to one's
health is better than a savings bank
account.
Neither the bread of life nor the
fruits of knowledge are administered
by forced feeding.
Instead of a place in the sun many
a poor mother's boy is finding only a
narrow eternal resting place in the
earth.
The resources and capabilities of a
normal healthy human being are never
wholly exhausted.
Why could not the architect of the
universe have made Right a little
more of a sort with Easy?
When "land" becomes more of a
synonym for "bread" we shall have a
larger element of justice in our laws
and customs governing its use.
The optimist sees in every child the
possibility of development into cap-
able and courageous manhood.
He who rebuffs a proffer of friend-
ship, however timely or humble, made,
spurns a sacred gift and misses an
opportunity for entertaining angels.
To be compelled to work long hours
at unattractive tasks is not the most
tragic fate which Fortune bestows
upon her unloved ones. The lap of
luxury fosters quite as many weak-
nesses of soul as the stony pillows of
necessity.
The microscope offers as much op-
portunity for exploration as the un-
known in the mystery of atoms.
In the secrets of the spheres; wonder
is the primal emotion.
The struggles of existence go on
apace. Whatever position a man or
woman may hold in life a dispropor-
tionate amount of strength is used up
in the attempt to advance. This con-
stant effort, whether toward a true
or false ideal, takes terrible toll of
human happiness and is of doubtful
real value to the race. Contentment
is not the prize of conquerors.

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ing things
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Activities of Women

Oregon has one woman asbestos work-
er.
London has twenty-four exclusive
women's clubs.

Calgary, Canada, has two women
judges.

Syracuse has a female stenographers'
union.

Pennsylvania has nearly one thousand
eight hundred women physicians and
clergymen.

Forty out of every 100 women in Mas-
sachusetts work for a living.

Women can now vote at all municipal
elections in Fellsmeier, Fla.

The rates of pay for women as a whole
in Oregon have been increased.

Weddings in London have increased
50 per cent since the war began.

Baraca Mission, Fifteenth and James,
now employing girls at the switch-
boards.

St. Louis has over thirteen hundred
union women employed in the boot and
shoe industry.

Women in France expect to receive
the vote after the present war is over.

Germany's women spies are playing
an important part in the present war.

About 90 per cent of the workers in
Philadelphia's educational system are
women.

Bachelor maids in Reichenbach, Ger-
many, are taxed for the privilege of be-
ing unmarried.

There is only one Russian decoration
for women—the Order of St. Catherine.

In nearly all the French ammunition
factories the majority of workers are
women.

Philadelphia's municipal playgrounds
are supervised by a woman, Miss Eliza-
beth O'Neill.

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Services in Waco Churches

CHURCH—	PASTOR.	Sunday School	Morning Service	Evening Service	Y. W. people's meeting	Sunday School Supt.	Woman's society	Prayer meeting
BAPTIST—								
Brook Avenue, N. 7th and Brook Ave....	F. J. Harrell.....	9:45-11:00	7:45-9:30					
Clay Street, 11th and Clay.....	O. E. Bryan.....	9:30-11:00	7:45-9:00					8:00
Columbus Street, 12th and Columbus.....	F. S. Groner.....	9:30-11:00	7:45-9:00					8:00
First Church, South Fifth and Webster.....	J. M. Dawson.....	9:30-11:00	8:00-9:00					8:00
Provident Heights, 15th and Bosque.....	H. H. Street.....	9:30-11:00	8:00-9:00					8:00
Seventh and James Street, S. 8th-James.....	W. H. W. Melton.....	9:30-11:00	8:00-9:00					8:00
St. Paul's Church, Kirkpatrick addition.....	McHenry Seale.....	9:45-11:00	8:00-9:00					8:00
*Third Street, near Gurley park.....	C. H. Walton.....	9:45-11:00	8:00-9:00					8:00
Turner Street, East Waco.....	W. P. Meroney.....	9:45-11:00	7:45-9:00					8:00
Ross Ave. Mission.....	O. E. Bryan.....	10:00.....	3:30.....					8:00
St. Paul's Church, 15th and James.....	R. A. Rushing.....	3:30.....	4:20.....					8:00
METHODIST (SOUTH)								
Austin Avenue.....	F. E. Culver.....	9:30-11:00	7:30.....					8:00
Elm Street.....	A. E. Caraway.....	9:45-11:00	7:45.....					7:30
Herring Avenue.....	R. F. Brown.....	9:30-11:00	7:45.....					7:45
Green Street.....	C. H. Howard.....	9:30-11:00	7:30.....					7:30
Clay Street.....	D. A. McGuire.....	9:45-11:00	7:30-8:30.....					7:30
Fifth Street.....	John R. Morris.....	9:45-11:00	7:30.....					7:30
Fifth Street Mexican.....			3:00.....					7:45
METHODIST EPISCOPAL—								
Scandinavian, 10th and Vermont.....	Otto Chellberg.....	10:00-11:00	8:00.....					8:00
German, 7th and Washington.....	August Didzun.....	9:45-11:00	8:00.....					8:00
CHRISTIAN—								
Central.....	F. N. Calvin.....	9:30-10:45	7:30-8:30.....					7:30
North Waco, Eighteenth and Herring.....	E. L. Crystal.....	9:30-11:00	7:45.....					8:00
North Tenth St. Church of Christ.....	C. E. Wallace.....	9:45-11:00	8:00.....					8:00
NAZARENE—								
Nazarene Church, 1505 Webster.....	Thomas D. Dunn.....	9:45-11:00	8:00-9:00.....					8:00
PRESBYTERIAN								
First Church, Eleventh and Austin.....	C. T. Caldwell.....	9:30-11:00	7:45.....					8:00
Second Church, North Thirteenth.....	J. J. Grier.....	9:30-11:00	7:45-8:45.....					8:00
Central Church, 12th and Washington.....	E. E. Ingram.....	9:30-11:00	8:00-9:00.....					7:45
EPISCOPAL								
St. Paul's N. 5th and Columbus.....	W. P. Witsell.....	9:30-11:00	8:00.....					8:00
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE								
First Church of Christ, Public Library.....	Arthur L. Worthen.....	10:00-11:00.....						8:15
CATHOLIC—								
Church of the Assumption, 9th and Wash. Street.....	E. A. Kelly.....	3:30-8:00	7:30.....					8:15
—Preaching second and fourth Sundays.....		3:00.....						
*Hours for various women's societies announced each Sunday from public								

Greek Statesman Who Favors War on Allies' Side and Map Showing Bulgaria's Demand of Territory



M. VENIZELOS

Following his acceptance of the resignation of the Gounaris cabinet, tendered after the premier's crushing defeat in the Greek chamber, King Constantine requested Eleutherios Venizelos to form a new cabinet. The former premier asked a few days in which to consider the situation before reaching a decision. He favors war on the side of the allies. The situation is clouded with considerable uncertainty. "King Constantine has asked Venizelos to form a new ministry, but to continue the old policy," says the Graphic's correspondent. "If Venizelos declines this humiliating role a fresh dissolution of parliament is threatened, and a delay of more months may ensue." The parliament is threatened, and a delay of more months may ensue. The parliament is threatened, and a delay of more months may ensue. The parliament is threatened, and a delay of more months may ensue.

BELIEVE GERMANS CAN'T CUT OFF THE RUSSIAN RETREAT

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were able to get a clear view of the fleeing Turks.

The battle for Sarikair hill, which the Australians and New Zealanders captured but were compelled to evacuate because the troops on their left did not advance far enough, was a most desperate one, according to the correspondent, who says: "The dead lie thick everywhere and the Turks came down in great numbers from the ridge above and tried to sweep our men off the hill entirely. They themselves were driven back, however, with frightful losses. Being unable to bury their dead, the Turks threw the bodies down the gully until they are stopped by the nature of the ground, while others thrown after them are stopped by the first. Consequently, the whole gully is choked with Turkish dead.

"The Australians and New Zealanders have gained another addition to their newly occupied territory. In their narrow position they now have elbow and are in touch with our outposts across the plain to Suva bay. And what is not their least important advantage, they have a supply of fresh water within their own position.

Operations of Italian Armies.

Rome, Aug. 27.—Via Paris, Aug. 28, 1:45 p. m.—The following statement from the main headquarters of the Italian army, dated August 27, was given out here to-night:

"New operations were carried out during August 25 on the peaks of Adamello range. While our troops made a demonstration on the Tunnel plateau and behind Monticello, mountain detachments attacked the positions of Lagoscuro Pass—5500 feet high—and Corno Di Biele—9000 feet high—which were strongly held by the enemy.

"The latter opposed a desperate resistance but finally was forced back and pursued. Our troops established themselves firmly on the peaks.

"On the evening of the same day, favored by a full moon, our aeroplanes threw bombs on the fortifications of Riva (on the northern end of lake Garda) and, avoiding the fire of the enemy's anti-aerial batteries, returned unscathed to our lines.

"In Val Sugana enemy artillery bombarded Borgo; although our troops in their recent victorious advance purposely abstained from occupying that populous locality, keeping on the surrounding mountains.

"On the upper Cordevole the artillery duel is becoming more fierce. Enemy artillery again bombarded the military position at Pieve di Livinalunga, causing further serious damage. Our batteries then bombarded Araba and Cherso, where active movements of troops and artillery were seen and where artillery was reported in position.

"On the Carso yesterday the enemy having seen that our troops had taken possession of a small wood close to the road from Sdrausina to San Martino, opened a heavy artillery fire on it and then sent troops to attack. A violent struggle followed, which ended in the flight of the enemy, while our troops strengthened their hold on the conquered position."

Unchanged at Riga.

Petrograd, Aug. 27.—Via London, Aug. 28, 12:30 a. m.—The following Russian official statement was given out here to-night:

"The situation in the Riga region is unchanged.

"In the directions of Bausk and Birna toward Fredericksstadt, on Wednesday and Thursday the enemy pursued a vigorous defensive against our troops defending this region. There has been obstinate fighting during the last few days on the road toward the south of the Tauskalm-Neuhut railway. In the direction of Dyvinsk, north of the railway line between Dyvinsk and Ponewsch, our

troops on Thursday pressed the Germans on the front Poned-Skopchki.

"Toward Vilna there was no important change on Wednesday.

"On the middle Niemenn, on the front between the sources of the Bobr and the Pripiat, the retreat of our troops, covered by rear guard engagements, continues.

"Most energetic attempts by the Germans to take the offensive during Wednesday night and Thursday in the Bialystok region and north of Bialystok, were successfully stopped by us and cost the enemy heavy losses.

"In the region of Brest-Litovsk we blew up the fortifications in conformity with our plan and our troops forming the garrison of these forts rejoined the army in the field.

"In Galicia there is no essential change."

Russians Retreating.

Vienna, Aug. 27.—Via London, 8:25 p. m.—The Russians, who were defeated in the battle of the Maritsa, are retreating on both sides of the railway to Minsk, according to an official statement issued tonight at the Austrian war office.

"The communications are as follows: 'Russian war theatre: The enemy, beaten at Brest-Litovsk, now is in full retreat on both sides of the railway to Minsk (about 150 miles northeast of Brest-Litovsk), the troops of Archduke Joseph Ferdinand have proceeded through the burning town of Kamien-Litovsk, and the Russian troops are pursuing the Russians from the west and south in the direction of Kobryn.

"At Kovol, Volodina Volynsky, and in eastern Galicia, there has been no change.

"Italian war theatre: There were battles of some importance near Feltich yesterday. Our troops repulsed a hostile attack against their valley positions.

Socialists Cheer Emperor.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—Via London, Aug. 28, 1:45 p. m.—The announcement made in the Reichstag before the adjournment today that an agreement had been reached to place the inscription "To the German people" over the main portal of the Reichstag building, has been greeted with great enthusiasm by the socialists.

"For twenty years the space for an inscription has remained blank because the Reichstag refused to accept one proposed by the architect and Emperor William declined to sanction another proposed by the Reichstag.

"Before the Reichstag adjourned, Dr. Johannes Kaempfer proposed the usual cheers for the emperor and for the first time in the history of the Reichstag two socialists joined in the cheering.

French War Statement.

Paris, Aug. 27.—10:25 p. m.—The war office tonight made public the following communication:

"On a great many points of the front our artillery has concentrated on the German positions a very efficacious fire. To the north of Arras German trenches have been upset and ammunition deposit destroyed.

"Between the Somme and the Oise the German encampments have been shelled. The enemy fired at long range, causing small damage and killing a nurse and seriously wounding another nurse.

"The enemy have violently shelled the village of Blend-Les-Ponts-Mouson. In the city of Thann and Vieux Thann, in the region of Ammerzwiller our shells started many fires."

Russian Signal Stations Bomarded.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—Via London, Aug. 28, 12:40 a. m.—The following official communication was issued today by the German admiralty:

"On Wednesday evening one of our small cruisers bombarded the Russian signal station on the cape south of Ristna on Dago island (just outside the gulf of Riga).

"At the same time another small cruiser bombarded the signal station at Andreesburg on Dago island. No enemy forces were sighted."

Expect Serbia to Sacrifice.

Nish, Serbia, Aug. 27.—Via London, 7:45 p. m.—Commenting on the vote of confidence in the government by the semi-official Samoprava says in a leading article: "To realize the sacred ideals of civilization, humanity, still further sacrifices must be made. These sacrifices will be

BAILEY IS HONORED BY DALLAS FRIENDS

EX-SENATOR DELIVERS GREAT ADDRESS TO 500 WHO ATTEND BANQUET.

Would See That Order Declaring Cotton Contraband Was Revoked.

Dallas, Aug. 27.—Five hundreds friends of Joseph Weldon Bailey, former United States senator from Texas, gathered tonight to pay him tribute, at a banquet at the Oriental hotel. He delivered the address of his life and it reminded one of a few years ago when Bailey was the issue.

Judge Nelson Phillips of Austin and Hon. Jack Beall of Dallas delivered short addresses in which they praised Mr. Bailey as a man, as a statesman and as a leader.

Senator Bailey declared if he were president he would immediately call an extraordinary session of congress and would see that the order of foreign powers declaring cotton contraband was revoked or not another pound of lead or an ounce of powder should leave American ports. He declared emphatically opposed to war unless absolutely necessary for the defense and protection of American citizens.

Turning from these questions he pleaded for the aid-time democracy and condemned socialism. He declared not only was socialism being taught in state universities, but in high schools. In that connection his criticism was exceedingly thorough. He gave the following: Senator J. M. Terrell, R. L. Winfrey, Joe Worsham, W. A. Thomas, W. W. Nelms, Ben Cabell, Dave Cahn, J. J. Simmons of Dallas, W. A. Rodden of Longview, Scott Fulton, Van Alstyne, Walter Collins of Hillsboro, W. E. Spell of Waco, W. H. Daugherty of Gainesville, Senator C. L. Barchfield of Henderson, T. N. Jones of Tyler, Col. R. M. Johnston of Houston, Fitzhugh Hill of Denton, Walter Archer of Fort Worth.

Senator Bailey arrived in Dallas from McKinney where he delivered an address Thursday afternoon. He also spoke at Plano. All during today hundreds of the former representative of Texas' friends from various points of the state met him at the Oriental hotel with him where he held an informal reception.

Bright and early today Senator Bailey, seated in a lobby arm chair, received all and sundry who called to pay their respects.

For Joe Bailey's hand. Bailey partisanship were on hand in abundance and even opponents of the senatorial storm petrel were led to pay tribute to his presence to the wonderful individuality of their erstwhile representative.

President Royal A. Ferris, of the biggest bank in Texas, gave place in the handshaking line to a roughly clad laborer who with tears to his eyes, mumbled thanks to the senator for some past kindness. Police Commissioner Dick Winfrey and Rev. George W. Owens of Oak Cliff buried the political hatchet for a while as they clasped Joe Bailey's hand.

Newspaper men who sought to interview the senator were forced to stand with their inquiries behind the congratulations and well wishes of an ever increasing throng of Dallasites.

"I wish to heaven that Texas peacefully would quit trying to run me for office," Senator Bailey declared when asked if he would seek a place as committeeman-at-large to the Democratic national convention and oppose the Wilson policies. "I assure you that it is not my friends who are trying to push me in the limelight politically. I am out of politics."

Big Shipment of Powder. Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—One of the largest shipments of smokeless powder ever sent from the United States to Europe, was shipped today from the ship Verone, which will sail tomorrow from Wilmington for Archangel via Glasgow. The shipment consists of nearly two million pounds of the highest grade of this type of powder and is shipped in cases holding two hundred pounds each.

Besides the explosives the Verone has on board twenty-five automobile trucks. Russian military officers are perintended the loading of the vessel as well as the manufacture of the powder.

LATEST METHOD OF TURK SNIPER SIN DECEIVING ALLIES

Various Turkish snipers have adopted the novel ruse of covering themselves with branches of trees and bushes as they advance on the allies. By this method they get into close range and pick off many men. The illustration shows a Turk captured by Britishers while so disguised.



CLEVER TURKISH DISGUISE

FINAL DISPOSAL of Men's Palm Beach Suits, Boys' Wash Suits, Men's and Boys' Straw Hats

Men's Palm Beach Suits

Men's Genuine Palm Beach Suits in good variety of colors. All sizes, including stouts and slims. All made from the Genuine Palm Beach Cloth, London Shrink. Regular \$7.50 values. Special \$4.38

Boys' Wash Suits

Little Boys' Wash Suits in Dutch and Oliver Twist styles; materials Crepe, Linene, Repp and Linen. These Suits range in price from 59c to \$2.50. All Wash Suits on sale at ONE-HALF PRICE.

Final Price Reductions on Straw Hats

Men's Straw Hats Choice 98c

Any Man's Straw Hat in the house 89c. Final Clean-up. Values up to \$3.00.

Boys' Straw Hats 34c Extra Special

In order to make a complete clean-up of our Boys' Straw Hats we will place them on sale beginning today. Values up to \$1.50; a large collection of styles and good range of sizes.

MEN'S SHOE SPECIAL

A large lot of Men's Work Shoes and Semi-Dress Shoes in Vici Kid, Bluechers and Lace, and Gun Metal Calf Button and Bluechers, all solid leathers. Special, per pair \$1.95

SPECIAL SPORT SHIRTS \$1.50 Values 98c

Famous 517-519 AUSTIN AVE.

SPECIAL SILK HOSE 50c Values 38c

What Bank Do You Deal With? This question is asked innumerable times in the business world. It means prestige to have an account with this reliable banking institution. We respectfully invite YOUR account, subject to check.

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CAPITAL \$200,000.00

College Newspapers to Bar Liquor Ads

New York, Aug. 27.—Representatives of thirty-nine college newspapers of this country and Canada with a total circulation of 100,000 at a meeting held here today for the purpose of consolidating their business interests, decided to bar liquor advertisements of all kinds from their columns.

A MILLION DOLLAR SALARY.

Story of Charles M. Schwab's Big Pay From Carnegie.

(Wall Street Journal.) The report in a western paper that Charles M. Schwab received \$1,000,000 salary as head of the United States Steel Corporation needs correction. Mr. Schwab did receive the largest salary ever paid outside the domain of European kings and emperors, but it was not paid by the United States Steel Corporation.

On the contrary, Mr. Schwab's contract with Mr. Carnegie called for so large a sum as to be a stumbling block in the organization of the United States Steel Corporation. Mr. Schwab thereupon promptly came to the United States Steel Corporation and accepted a far less salary and a far less position. A few days later Mr. Morgan explained to Mr. Carnegie how nicely Mr. Schwab had acted. Mr. Carnegie was astonished. He would never consent that Mr. Schwab should not have the full amount Mr. Carnegie had by contract guaranteed him.

The next day Mr. Schwab was equally astonished to receive from Mr. Carnegie a check for several millions in settlement for his full guaranteed salary during the life of his contract. That contract called for an annual payment in salary and profit-sharing guaranteed to be not less than \$1,000,000 a year.

Society American Indians to Meet.

Lawrence, Kan., Aug. 27.—The Society of American Indians will meet in Lawrence September 28 to October 2, for the organization's annual conference. Representatives of many Indian tribes and Indian schools will attend. United States Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas, whose veins flow Indian blood, is among the prominent men who will attend. Most of the sessions will be held at the Haskell Indian Institute, the federal Indian school located here.

Three Hurt in Excursion Wreck.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 27.—Three persons were seriously hurt and a score of others badly bruised and shaken up when a Colorado excursion train crashed head on with a freight train at Idweld, fifty miles west of this city late today. The most seriously hurt are Mr. and Mrs. George M. Winstead, Wichita, Kan., and Miss Mary Topey, Wichita, Kan. At the hospital late tonight it was said that all the injured would recover.

Apples Stay Home.

Although it has a few choice apples of its own, it has always had a wholesome appetite for the American apple. In London and Paris, indeed, American and Canadian apples used to cost less than some of the native varieties, mainly because of the greater supply.

But this year Europe has not been munching apples. Last fall millions of barrels which in ordinary years would have found their way from American orchards to the docks of Atlantic ports had to be disposed of at home. And this year, with a bumper apple crop in prospect, foreign markets are still less to be relied upon.

The internationally Apple Shippers, now centered at Chicago, are impressing on apple growers the value of the markets that are no more and trying to figure

where to place the fall crop. Apples ought to be cheap next winter and "saas" plentiful.—New York World.

Proof.

(Cincinnati Enquirer.) It was the rush hour in the cafeteria, one of these quick lunch places where you help yourself and grab a chair and use the arm of the chair as a table. A rushed feeder grabbed a slice of pie and popped out a chair. Then he remembered that he needed coffee and he dashed over to the service counter. When he returned with his coffee his chair was occupied by another hurry-up diner.

"Excuse me," said the first man, "but that is my chair."

"How do you know it is your chair?" demanded the occupant in a surly tone. "Because I can prove it," stated the first man.

"How can you prove it?" asked the occupant.

"By the seat of your pants," was the reply. "You are sitting on my pie."

Affinities. Watch the country boys who come to the city to seek their fortunes. Some turn to the Young Men's Christian association for companionship and some to the saloons. It is needless to select this road to success; countless volumes have been written on both sides of this subject.

If you are coarse in your tastes and vicious in your tendencies, you do not have to try very hard to get with coarse, vicious people; the law of attraction causes them to seek you. Those who aspire to get on and up in the world very quickly find those who are trying to do the same, and association with them is natural.

We make our own associations and these form fully one-half of our success or failure in life.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Charges Against Col. Chas. H. Muir

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—Charges of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman against Colonel Charles H. Muir of the United States army, were forwarded to the war department at Washington tonight by his former son-in-law, Lieutenant Alexander W. Cleary. Cleary was placed in a local sanitarium today at the conclusion of a court martial on charges preferred by Colonel Muir. The charges concerned the domestic life of the Clearys prior to their divorce.

The counter charges against Colonel Muir today were filed on behalf of Lieutenant Cleary by his brother, Lieutenant F. J. Cleary, of the United States Marines. The specific charges against Colonel Muir are that he attempted to discredit a witness before the court martial; that he failed to answer official communications; and that when he did answer he made evasive replies.

China to Buy Submarines. New York, Aug. 27.—Financial circles here were interested today in a rumor that the Chinese commission of naval experts recently sent to this country, were negotiating for the purchase of one hundred submarines at a total cost of \$75,000,000. It was reported that Charles A. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel company, has been given charge of the manufacturing end in this country of China's naval program.

An experienced employer attaches little importance to written recommendations. He remembers how many he has himself given and how little they really meant.—New York World.

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WACO BANKERS READY TO HANDLE COTTON

W. W. WOODSON SAYS AMOUNT OF FEDERAL MONEY AVAILABLE HERE NOT KNOWN.

ALTERNATIVE PLAN IS FAVORED

Interest Rate Will Probably Be 8 Per Cent Unless Government Funds Can Be Secured.

"It cannot be known how much of the \$30,000,000 promised by Secretary McAdoo to protect the cotton crop will be available in Waco banks until Mr. McAdoo returns to Washington," was the comment yesterday of W. W. Woodson, cashier of the Central Texas Exchange National bank, when shown a dispatch from Dallas that \$1,500,000 would be available there at 6 per cent without calling upon the federal reserve bank for a share of the \$100,000,000 which the secretary of the treasury proposes to deposit in reserve banks of the south in order that farmers may obtain loans at a low rate on cotton stored in bonded warehouses.

Mr. Woodson stated that banks of Waco have sufficient of their own money on hand to fill all applications for loans on cotton, but that this money would cost the farmers at least 8 per cent. The possibility of farmers of this section getting 6 per cent money from Waco banks, according to Mr. Woodson, depends entirely on whether or not a part of the \$30,000,000 provided by Secretary McAdoo is deposited in banks of the city.

Mr. Woodson is of the opinion that the proposed plan of the treasury to deposit the money in federal reserve banks of the south is impracticable, and that the alternative plan of the secretary to deposit the money directly with member banks is the only feasible way of reaching the farmers who need the cheap money. Secretary McAdoo is to decide between the two plans on his return to the capital, according to his original announcement of the plan to place \$30,000,000 of the federal reserve funds within reach of the farmers, which was announced from his summer home in New Hampshire.

In lending such money as may be obtained by the banks here from the government, it will be made clear that money so lent is not a part of the banks' funds," said Mr. Woodson. "Not to make this clear to the farmers might cause disappointment in a few years when federal money might not be available to the banks, when a higher rate would have to be charged."

West, Tex., Aug. 27.—The West Weekly Journal has been purchased by W. Roy Christian and E. L. Carroll and will hereafter be published as a semi-weekly under the name of the Semi-Weekly Courier-Journal, appearing each Tuesday and Friday. Christian will be the editor of the new publication and Carroll will be manager of the publication and Carroll will be manager of the publication and Carroll will be manager of the publication.

Both are experienced newspaper men.

Rain Falls at West.

West, Aug. 27.—Following up the recent wet weather about a two inch rain fell here in a few hours beginning at 12:30 o'clock this morning. Water stood in the gutters of street intersections one and two feet deep early this morning. Indications here are that the heavy rain, extended westward some distance but was lighter northward. Cotton picking would have been resumed by the farmers this morning if the rain had not come. It will probably be delayed until the middle of next week in this immediate community now.

Trouble in Dallas Jail.

Dallas, Aug. 27.—Charge of assault to murder and maiming was filed today against Lill Chambers by R. A. Cummings. The affidavit charges that Chambers kicked out one of Cummings' eyes in the city jail several days ago. At the time both men were in the city jail. Cummings paid his fine yesterday. Chambers broke jail and is at large.

Woman Meeting Ends Today.

Dallas, Aug. 27.—The Women of the World meeting will end Sunday. Prizes will be awarded at that time and the meeting place for next year announced. Many of the women left today for their homes. Rain interfered with the banquet to great extent. More than two thousand women from various parts of Texas attended.

Cecil Lyon to Dallas.

Dallas, Aug. 27.—Gen. Cecil A. Lyon will be in the city Monday morning, according to the statement made by Secretary J. R. Babcock, of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, Saturday, to confer with directors of the Chamber of Commerce, members of the Park board and State Fair of Texas directors, concerning the equipment of Texas National Guard which, it is hoped, will be held in this city.

Warehouse Meeting at McGregor.

McGregor, Aug. 27.—John R. Clay, representing the state in the matter of organizing bonded warehouses, addressed a representative gathering of farmers and business men at the city hall in McGregor Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Steps have been taken to convert the warehouse now owned by the Farmers' Union into a bonded warehouse. The proposition seems to be meeting with favor generally.

Mr. Clay's address on the subject was interesting and his arguments in its favor strong.

Dallas High School to Have Cadet Corps

Dallas, Aug. 27.—Dallas high school cadets in uniform may be seen drilling soon if plans now under consideration by school officials are adopted. Judge J. M. McCormick, president of the board of education, has asked Prof. Charles J. Kennedy, a member of the Dallas high school faculty, who is a graduate of West Point, to outline his ideas on the subject, and it is probable that a conference will be held within the next few days with Supt. J. P. Kimball and others to discuss the proposed system.

Developments at Littlefield.

Littlefield, Aug. 26.—The modern two-story brick bank and office building is just being completed and the Littlefield State bank will open for business as soon as the charter arrives.

C. D. Hensley, manager McAdams Lumber company, has just erected a nice five-room residence.

Work is progressing rapidly on the cottage of Dr. C. B. Lynch.

S. H. Smith is building a modern two-story residence on his farm east of town. When completed this will be one of the nicest homes in Lamb county.

Work begins this week on the large two-story brick high school building. Lumber is being hauled to Gier's ranch for the erection of a residence. The large national home on the slaughter ranch is nearing completion.

George Olsson has just finished a new residence on his farm southwest of Littlefield.

Three large silos are under construction on the McClellan-Bry ranch, west of here.

Fred Lichte and family have just arrived from Oklahoma and will improve their farm east of town.

It is the intention of the German government to make Prince Leopold of Bavaria the king of Poland in the event that the Austro-German forces are able to maintain control of the ancient country. Leopold's troops were the first to occupy the city after its desertion by the Russian army. The photo shows the aged Bavarian in the field with some of his officers.



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after children have finished with their matinee.

Letters from the People

Mayor's Plan for Hucksters Impracticable.

To the Waco Morning News:

There is a lot now pending before the commissioners of the city the question of placing the wagons of the hucksters at some place other than the corner of Fifth and Franklin. In reference to the first named location it is our desire to call attention to the fact that there are eight places of residence and one church within these two blocks and that there will be strenuous objection upon their part to the filling of the street with market wagons and the noise, the clutter and the litter attendant upon such occupation, to say nothing of having the sidewalks practically blocked with the baskets and people stopping to buy. There will also be objection coming from property owners on this street because of the lowering of rent by the occupancy of the streets free for traffic, making an undesirable condition and the creation of a competition that is not legitimate. In taking this stand the tax payers on the street will have good grounds upon which to support the contention that their objections are reasonable. For it is, of course, the tax payers who pay for the streets to be paved, repaired, cleaned and cared for in every way, and it is therefore but natural that they desire that their property be and remain desirable to good tenants at fair rental, in order that some interest on the investment may be realized. We would respect-

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SERIOUS CONDITIONS IN ARKANSAS FLOOD

APPEALS FOR AID SENT TO
LITTLE ROCK FROM DESTI-
TUTE TOWNS.

Four Thousand Residents of Newport
Unable to Enter Homes and Are
Living in Camps.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 27.—From Newport, Searcy and Georgetown, where camps for flood refugees have been established, came appeals for aid today. It is estimated that 1,000 families who lived on farms in the lowlands, have been driven into these four towns and are absolutely destitute. In addition 4,000 residents of Newport are unable to enter their homes because of flood waters and are living in camps.

Little Rock is sending large quantities of food and other Arkansas cities are responding, generously but the assistance given is not sufficient, according to Mayor Hubley of Newport, who sent out another urgent appeal for aid late today.

The crest of the flood has reached the lower White river and thousands of fertile acres were converted into lakes today. Train service on the Searcy branch of the Rock Island railroad was discontinued today. At Newport the river is falling slowly. Black river is falling tonight.

James E. Christian Killed at Houston

Houston, Aug. 27.—James E. Christian, 55 years of age, insurance man of Madisonville, was killed today. Dr. Glover Speer, who moved here from Madisonville in January, following trouble he says he had with Christian, surrendered when he learned Christian was dead. Mrs. Speer was a witness to the tragedy, and was hysterical. Several weeks ago Dr. Speer told the police that Christian was in a vacant house near the Speer home, waiting with a double-barrel shotgun for Dr. Speer. Christian was found in the vacant house, armed, and charged with trespassing. The case later was dismissed. Speer has one son, 7 years old, while Christian leaves a widow and six children.

Railroad Man Is Killed in I. & G. N. Smash-up at Mart

Mart, Tex., Aug. 27.—Ed Jackson, a railroad man who was riding on the blind baggage car of the early morning passenger train on the International and Great Northern, was fatally injured when the train ran into an open switch and struck a string of box cars. Jackson died from his injuries this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The fireman, W. P. Saddler, jumped from the engine and one ankle was broken and he sustained injuries about the head. Four box cars were smashed to bits.

Saddler Known at Marlin. Marlin, Tex., Aug. 27.—A report reached Marlin this afternoon that two former Marlin men were injured in the wreck of the I. & G. N. passenger train at Mart this morning, where the northbound train ran into a freight car on a siding. Frank Saddler, the fireman, seeing what was coming, jumped and broke his left leg, and hitting his head against a rail, received some sort of a scalp abrasion. Saddler formerly lived in this city.

Gerald Byrne, an engineer traveling as a passenger, was formerly a resident of this city. He had a bone broken in his left hand on being thrown back against a seat.

It is reported that Train Auditor Morris received a gash in his head from a piece of glass and a man named Jackson, deadheading between the baggage and mail cars, sustained injuries.

Falls Precinct to Enforce Curfew Law

Marlin, Tex., Aug. 27.—According to a notice in a Rosebud paper, the constable in that precinct of Falls county has determined upon enforcing the "curfew" law, as he advises that from now on the state law which prohibits boys under sixteen years of age from loitering on the streets after dark, will be rigidly enforced. Constable W. J. Jenkins advises the boys to stay off the streets, stating that otherwise he would be compelled to place them under arrest.

Cotton Prices Bulletin at Marlin. Marlin, Aug. 27.—Large numbers of people flocked about the bulletin board at the Commercial Club today watching the cotton quotations as they came in, calculating what they would do if they had cotton to sell at present. Some eight bales covered the sales made on the local market Friday. The price for strict middling basis reaching 9.00.

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Sam Bernard in "Poor Schmaltz" To-day.

In obtaining the exclusive motion picture service of Sam Bernard, the world's most famous eccentric comedian, the Famous Players Film company has secured one of the most notable acquisitions to the screen ever effected. Through the media of his long list of celebrated stage successes, Mr. Bernard has made hundreds of thousands laugh. With the wider latitude of the screen millions will now be enabled to follow his side-splitting antics and his inimitable methods of comedy portrayal. The subject selected for Mr. Bernard's introduction to the motion picture public, "Poor Schmaltz," presents him in the hilarious role of a German wig maker who becomes the principal agent in a series of excitingly comic adventures and it is certain that this characterization will rank with the popular star's greatest comedy creations and be recorded as one of the foremost travesty triumphs of the screen.

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"The Lambs' Gambol."

Most everybody has a favorite actor or actress. In "The Lambs' Gambol" showing at the Hippodrome today, one will doubtless find his favorite and thirty-nine other famous actors, playwrights and musicians, there being exactly forty celebrities who roam the Rialto.

The picture is in one reel and shows many amusing scenes of the actors rehearsing for their annual play given by the Lambs' Club in New York.

Frank McIntyre pulls off an original stunt at the end of the picture that will receive hearty applause from the audience.

"After Dark."

World Film Corporation releases the five part William A. Brady photoplay, "After Dark," based upon the famous old drama of that name which was written by Dion Boucicault. The stage offering was a world-wide suc-

cess. Mr. Brady making a great personal success in the role of "Old Tom" in it. In the film play the part is in the capable and experienced hands of Alec B. Francis, one of the best actors in the motion picture field. Mr. Francis' artistic embodiments have for years delighted millions of motion picture fans.

"Old Tom" is brassy as a picturesque character. He fought in the Spanish-American war. While doing duty for his country in her battles, he was shattered in mind and body by the news that his wife had proved faithless to him. The seducer was a cowardly brother officer who had deserted from the army. "Old Tom" went to the bad. He had one daughter, who married a wealthy young man about town. The girl was in the way of a scheming villain, who tried to drown her. But "Old Tom" saved her—saved his own daughter in the nick of time, although she was left for dead by the villain.

In the end justice is handed out to the villains of the play. "Old Tom" forsakes his evil ways, becomes a respectable and picturesque member of society, and lives happily with his daughter and her (also) reformed husband.

Mr. Francis thus has a splendid part for his fine power of delineation. Some splendid settings, a full and efficient cast, and powerful acting are seen in "After Dark" which will be shown today at the Hippodrome theatre.

Bob's Fame Spreads in Other States

In the August number of "The and Till," published by Eli Lilly & Co. of Indianapolis, appears a half page photograph of "Bob," the Powers-Kelly advertising dog, with an accompanying story, in which it is stated that Bob "is probably the greatest advertising dog in the business." One of the stories in regard to Bob's exploits, which appeared in the Morning News, is quoted, credit being given this paper for the article.

Sealed proposals will be received until 6 p. m. Monday, September 6th, 1915, by S. N. Mayfield, secretary of the Texas Cotton Palace association, Waco, Texas, for the furnishing of all labor and materials required in the construction of a grandstand in accordance with the plans and specifications furnished for same. The right is reserved to accept any proposal or reject all proposals. Plans and specifications are now on file at the office of Milton W. Scott & Co., architects, and may be secured by depositing with them the sum of \$20.00 to insure their return. (Adv.)

Mrs. Coleman Won't Talk. Fayetteville, Ark., Aug. 27.—Mrs. M. J. Coleman, mother of Mrs. Mamie Hamlin, indicted for murder at Jackson, Ky., today refused to discuss her daughter's case. Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Hamlin, and the latter's two sons came here from Oklahoma City two months ago and Mrs. Hamlin left about a month ago. Little is known of them here as they apparently made few, if any, acquaintances.

Progressive. A clergyman had taught an old man in his parish to read and found him an apt pupil. Calling at the cottage some time after, he found only the wife at home. "How's John?" asked he. "He is well, thank you," said the wife. "How does he get on with his reading?" "Nicely, sir." "Ah! I suppose he can read his Bible comfortably now?" "Sir, he was out of the Bible and into the sporting papers long ago."—Tit-Bits.

Albert C. Johnston Has begun the general practice of law with office at the court house.—Adv.

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"TOMMY" SNATCHES A NAP IN BIG AMMUNITION PILE



ASLEEP AMID SHELLS

Set to guard some spare ammunition, a British fighter took advantage of a lull in the demand for shells and snatched a nap. He was "snapped" by a photographer while doing so. The pile of ammunition in which he had made his resting place contained enough explosive material to blow up half a city, but Tommy slumbered on. This indifference to danger, in spite of the frightfully increased risks of modern warfare, has been frequently commented upon in all of the armies engaged in the war.



ISN'T THIS FUN?

BOYS AND GIRLS, own a GOCYCLE and have plenty of fun Race on the sidewalk with your little boy or girl friends. Your friend who lives next door in all probability has one. Ask him how he or she secured them. One is yours nearly for the asking. It requires only a little effort on your part to secure one of these dandy Gocycles.

HOW TO GET ONE

Apply in person to Mr. D. T. Dial, Circulation Manager Waco Morning News, phones 1132, and he will explain all the details. The fun is all yours, boys and girls, and you are the loser if you don't get one. Call today, get your Gocycle and join the happy little ones now spending the afternoons and evenings on the sidewalks.

MARKET REPORT

WHEAT

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Bearish sentiment dominated the wheat market today on improved domestic weather conditions and a break at Winnipeg. The market closed weak at a net loss of 2½¢, with September at 97½¢ and December at 95½¢. Corn followed wheat and fell 1½¢ to 14¢, with September at 73½¢ and December at 63½¢. Oats were depressed by the slump in other grain and underwent a net decline of 1¢ to 13½¢. Provisions closed irregular, with ribs a shade firmer, other products easy. The provision range at the finish was 5 cents lower to 7½¢ higher.

Lowest prices of the crop were reached on all deliveries of wheat today. There was heavy liquidation on improved weather conditions in the domestic northwestern belt. Bullish factors, such as unfavorable weather and crop reports in Argentina and India and advices that reserves in Argentina were about exhausted, were ignored.

On account of the warmer weather and because of the weakness in wheat the course of prices in corn was steadily downward most of the session. Liberal arrivals, general liquidation and a big increase in consignment notices were the depressing influences in the oats market.

Attention of the provision pit traders seemed centered mainly on ribs, giving some strength to that commodity, while pork and lard weakened.

Futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	99	99½	97½	97½
Dec.	97½	97½	95½	95½
May	102	102½	100½	100½
Corn				
Sept.	74½	74½	73½	73½
Dec.	63½	63½	62½	62½
May	65½	65½	64½	64½
Oats				
Sept.	37½	37½	36½	36½
Dec.	37½	37½	36	36
May	39	39½	38½	38½
Pork				
Sept.	13.70	13.75	13.60	13.62
Oct.	13.87	13.87	13.72	13.77
Lard				
Sept.	8.02	8.05	8.02	8.02
Oct.	8.17	8.05	8.02	8.02
Ribs				
Sept.	8.50	8.52	8.50	8.52
Oct.	8.65	8.62	8.50	8.52

CASH GRAIN

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.05½@1.08½, No. 2 hard \$1.07½@1.09½, Corn—No. 2 yellow 80½@81½¢, Oats—Standard 40@41½¢, Barley—50@52¢.

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.08@1.10, No. 2 hard \$1.08½@1.09, Corn—No. 2 78½@79¢, No. 2 white 76½¢, Oats—No. 2 35¢, No. 2 white nominal.

Kansas City, Aug. 27.—Wheat—No. 2 \$1.08@1.10, No. 2 mixed 71½@72¢, No. 2 white 71½¢, Oats—No. 2 white 38@40¢, No. 2 mixed 38@39¢.

COTTON SEED OIL

New York, Aug. 27.—Cotton seed oil was higher today, final prices showing a net advance of 6 to 8 points. Shorts were fairly active buyers, inspired by the strength in cotton and continued light offerings of crude at the south. Of the total transactions of 20,000 barrels, 12,000 were switches of September to January at 24 and 25 points.

COTTON

New York, Aug. 27.—Bullish private crop reports tending to confirm expectation of a lower condition figure from Washington on Monday led to a further broadening of business in the cotton market today. Trading in fact was considered more active and general than at any time since early in the summer and January contracts sold up to 1014, or 63 points above the low level of last Monday and over a cent above the low level of the day. Closing prices were off from the best under realizing, but the final tone was steady at a net advance of from 15 to 18 points for the day.

The market opened at an advance of 4 to 7 points and during the first few minutes sold 14 to 17 points net higher on overnight buying orders, covering and fresh bull support inspired by the firmness of Liverpool prospects of further rains in the south and rumors that some of yesterday's buying here had been for Russian account. There was naturally a good deal of realizing at this advance, which carried prices more than \$2.50 per bale above the low level of the early week, and there also may have been some little southern selling, but all offerings were readily absorbed and the market later sold still higher on the detailed weather reports and bullish private condition figures. October contracts touched 97½ and December 102, with the general list selling 23 to 25 points above last night's closing figures during the middle of the afternoon.

Demand then became somewhat less active and there were reactions of some 8 or 9 points under realizing. Two private crop reports were issued, one placing the condition at 70.2 per cent against 72.5 last month, with the latter calculating that the condition pointed to a yield of only 11,400,000 bales, excluding lint.

Exports for the day were 5153 bales, making 137,093 so far this season. Receipts 9501. United States port stocks 691,294.

New Orleans, Aug. 27.—Heavy buying again dominated the cotton market today and prices were sent 25 to 26 points over yesterday's close at the highest levels. The gain was well maintained up to the close, which was at a net advance of 18 to 19 points. Unfavorable crop accounts, a continued good spot demand and the closing figures of an organized bull movement were the main influence operating for higher levels.

The market opened at the rise on good cables and scores of telegrams from Texas, Arkansas and Alabama, telling of extensive crop deterioration from various causes. Damaging floods in Arkansas were reported. Alabama, sent in reports of rust. Many bullish forecasts of the condition of the crop were sent up to the close, which was at a net advance of 18 to 19 points. Unfavorable crop accounts, a continued good spot demand and the closing figures of an organized bull movement were the main influence operating for higher levels.

Bullish predictions of the average condition for the entire belt were around 70 per cent of the normal. Around the first call prices were 15 points up and by the time the advance was widened to a quarter of a cent.

While there were rumors of much hedge selling on the part of the south at the advance, a good spot demand was in evidence and local prices were advanced 19 points on total sales of 2000 bales. One of the features of the session was the report that leading operators had combined in a movement to put prices higher.

Weekly Cotton Review

New York, Aug. 27.—A decidedly better tone developed in the cotton market during this week, with demand becoming more active than for months past, while December contracts here sold up to 10,020, or over \$3 per bale from the low level of Monday and more than \$5 a bale above the low price reported on the break of July. Relief from apprehensions of a break

in diplomatic relations with Germany and indications of such a change in the German submarine program as might go a long way toward eliminating further causes for friction, seemed to be accompanied by a revival of optimism regarding more general conditions, and the improvement in the market has been accompanied by reports of a more active export demand, predictions of a bullish crop condition report from the government on Monday, apprehensions that the continued rains in the south were causing further deterioration in crop prospects and the growing conviction in some quarters that with easy money and the promise of important banking assistance the south will be readily able to finance the new crop movement.

Private crop reports issued toward the end of the week suggested a deterioration of about 7 per cent in prospects as compared with the same time last month and the tendency to reduce estimates of the domestic crop has been accompanied by a disposition to emphasize the reduced acreage in Egypt and India and a possibility of purchases by the allied governments to offset the restrictions placed upon export business by the placing of the contraband declaration.

Much of the buying on the advance has been attributed to covering of shorts but there have been rumors of support from formerly prominent bull operators, and some of the buying here is believed to have been for Russian account, with a view to exports from the local stock. Realizing became more active above 10 cents for the winter months during today's trading, and there probably was some selling in the expectation that little southern advances would meet increased southern offerings, should the official figures fail to meet bullish predictions.

SPOTS

Galveston, Aug. 27.—Spot, middling at 940¢; sales 100; stock 103,385.

Houston

Houston, Aug. 27.—Middling 93½¢; market steady; sales 250, f. o. b. 350.

New York

New York, Aug. 27.—Middling 95¢; market steady; sales none.

New Orleans

New Orleans, Aug. 27.—Middling 913¢; market steady; sales 440, f. o. b. 350.

Liverpool

Liverpool, Aug. 27.—Cotton spot steady. Good middling 5.52; sales 5.52.

Low middling 5.47; sales 5.47.

Sales 10,000; for speculation and export 1500; receipts 200.

FUTURES

Liverpool, Aug. 27.—Cotton futures closed steady:

August.....5.52

August-September.....5.52

September-October.....5.52

October-November.....5.52

November-December.....5.52

December-January.....5.52

January-February.....5.52

February-March.....5.52

March-April.....5.52

April-May.....5.52

May-June.....5.52

June-July.....5.52

July-August.....5.52

August-September.....5.52

September-October.....5.52

October-November.....5.52

November-December.....5.52

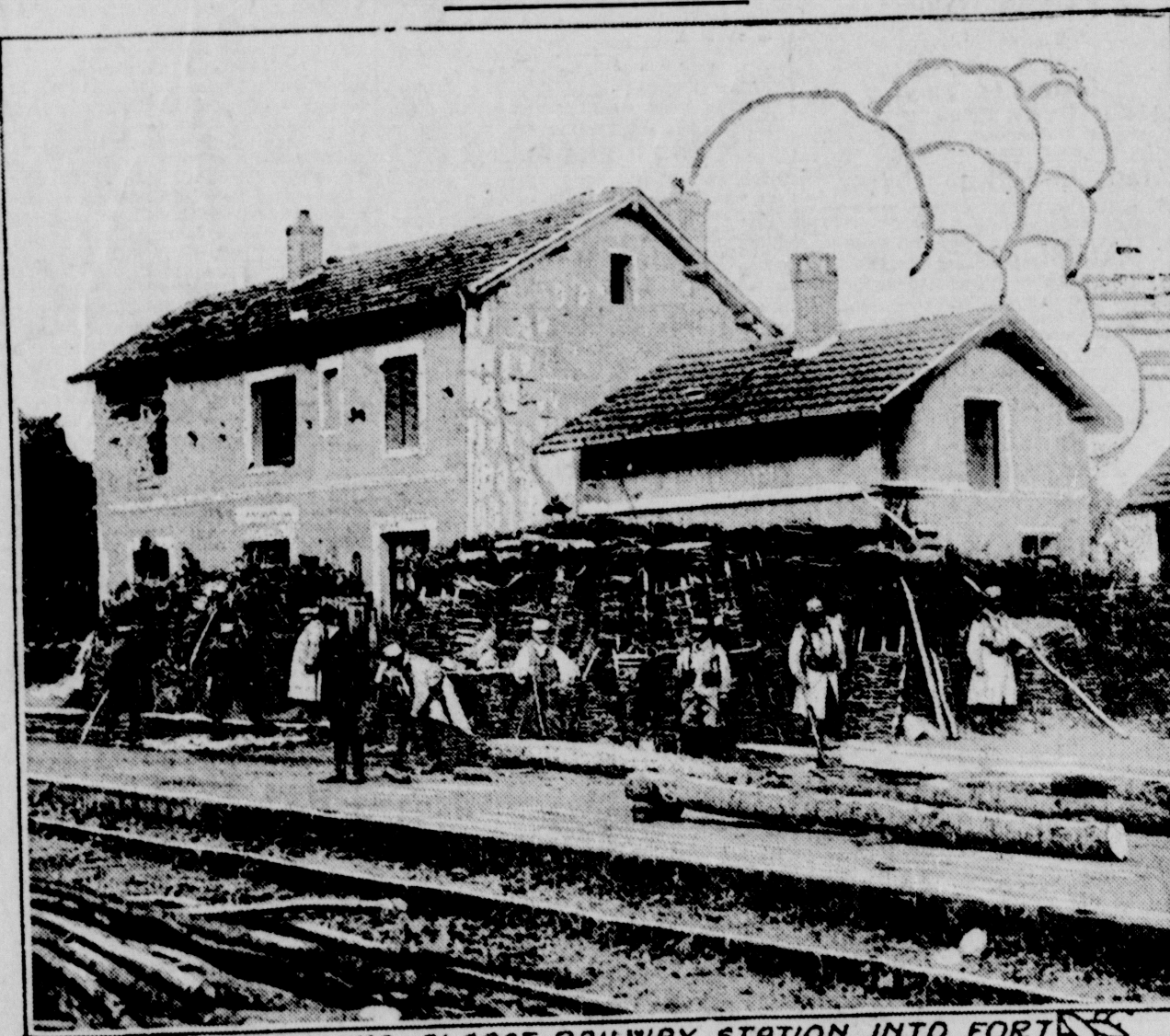
December-January.....5.52

January-February.....5.52

February-March.....5.52

March-April.....5.52

Alsace Railroad Station Barricaded With Logs



TRANSFORMING ALSACE RAILWAY STATION INTO FORT
The accompanying photograph was taken a little over a month ago near the firing line in France. It shows French soldiers throwing up logs around a railway station to protect it from the force of the enemy's shells.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth, Aug. 27.—Cattle receipts 1000; market unchanged; beefs \$5.50@7.00; stockers \$5.50@6.50, cows \$3@6.25, heifers \$4.50@7.25, bulls \$4@5.00, calves \$4.50@8.25.

Hog receipts 1000; market 10 cents up; light \$7.75@7.80, heavy \$7.70@7.75, medium \$7.65@7.70, mixed \$7.25@7.50, summer \$7.75@7.80, pigs \$4.50@5.25.

Sheep receipts 500; market steady; lambs \$7@8.00, yearlings \$6@6.75, wethers \$5.50@6.00, ewes \$5@5.50, culls \$3@4.00, goats \$2.50@3.50.

Sales of cattle in the local yards were reported as follows:

Wagoner Bros., Burk Bur-

nett—

25 steers.....982 \$7.00

11 Cooper, Rotan—

31 steers.....667 5.65

Kansas City, Aug. 27.—Hog receipts 3500; market higher; bulk of sales \$4.50@7.60, heavy \$6.75@7.25, packers and butchers \$6.90@7.60, heavy \$6.75@7.25, packers and butchers \$6.90@7.60, light \$6.90@7.70, pigs \$6.50@7.60.

Cattle receipts 600; market steady to strong; prime fed steers \$9.40@9.80, ers \$6.50@9.50, stockers \$6.25@8.50.

Sheep receipts \$4.25@7.50, heifers \$6.50@9.50, stockers \$6.25@8.50.

Sheep receipts 3800; market higher; lambs \$8.50@9.25, yearlings \$6.50@7.25,

wethers \$5.75@6.75, ewes \$5@6.00, stock-dressed beef steers \$8@9.35, southern steers \$5.35@8.35, cows \$4.25@7.50, heifers \$5@8.35.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Hog receipts 15,000; market strong; higher; bulk \$6.85@7.70, light \$7.40@8.05, mixed \$6.50@8.00, heavy \$6.40@7.75, rough \$6.40@6.60, pigs \$7@8.05.

Cattle receipts 1000; market strong; native beefs \$6.10@10.15, western steers \$6.65@8.85, cows and heifers \$3@8.75, calves \$5.50@12.00.

Sheep receipts 7000; market strong; higher; wethers \$6@6.70, ewes \$4@6.25, lambs \$7.25@9.55.

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—Hog receipts 520; market higher; pigs and lights \$7.50@8.00, mixed and butchers \$7.80@8.00, good heavy \$7.10@7.65.

Cattle receipts 2000; market steady; lower; native beef steers \$5.50@10.00, yearling steers and heifers \$5.50@10.00, cows \$6@8.00, stockers and feeders \$6@8.25, Texas and Indiana steers \$5.25@8.35, cows and heifers \$4@6.50, native calves \$6@11.50.

Sheep receipts 1000; market steady; lambs \$8@9.25, sheep and ewes \$5.50@7.40.

Boston Wool.

Boston, Aug. 27.—The Commercial Bulletin of Boston will say tomorrow:

Whether or not the possibility of a again being able to import crossbred

wools from England has caused buyers to refrain from buying as much as they otherwise would, is not at all certain, but there has been more business in the local market than there was a week ago. Of the three million pounds estimated to have been sold, the greater part was in foreign wool.

Prices have shown no appreciative change one way or the other, the market being generally steady. The mills are fairly well engaged at the moment. Advances from the west indicate little worthy of note regarding the little wool still left in the country.

Kentucky and similar half blood unwashed 35¢, three-eighths-blood unwashed 35¢, quarter-blood unwashed 35¢, common 32¢@33¢.

Scoured basis Texas fine 12 months 62¢@70¢, fine 8-months 60¢@62¢.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

New York, Aug. 27.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Uplifting factors continue to assert themselves in trade and industrial circles, but at the same time there was a degree of unevenness in particular sections and certain industries that deprives the situation of uniformity.

However, optimism as to the future seems unabated; our international political conditions appear to have improved; some sections report larger road orders, mail order trade goes on increasing; the southern situation is brighter; money everywhere is plentiful at low rates; collections are somewhat easier; foreign

orders for manufactured war supplies continue of large proportions, higher prices prevail for iron and steel, and copper has emerged from its recent spell of dullness.

On the other hand, buyers have not entirely divorced themselves from conservatism; the labor situation tends to reflect in sporadic strikes the influence of competitive bidding for help; retail trade, though good in some sections, is not altogether favorable; wet, cool weather in the west having checked distribution.

Weekly bank clearings \$2,156,182,000.

CITY MATRON RULES.

Mrs. Agnes Frisinger, With Flash Lamp and Pistol, Raids Saloons. (Hoopston, Ill., correspondence of Cincinnati Inquirer.)

"Holy" Hoopston, known these many years as the original saloonless community, its last "gin mill" having been run out in 1870, is in the throes of a moral, social and political upheaval precipitated by one gray-haired woman with an electric flash lamp and a magnum pistol, whose nocturnal activities already have forced the resignation of the entire police force and set the city council at loggerheads.

The woman is Mrs. Agnes Frisinger. With her pocket flash lamp and her pistol, Mrs. Frisinger has so terrified evil-doers that the toughest characters, according to Mayor I. E. Merritt, run when they see her coming.

Mrs. Frisinger was made city matron of "The Holy City," as Hoopston is called, early in May, following the formation here of a woman's vigilance body known as "the committee of fifty."

Here are Mrs. Frisinger's most striking achievements to date:

She has forced the resignation of Police Chief W. J. Dixon and the entire force under him.

She has raided two gambling houses single-handed and arrested six gamblers at the point of a gun.

She has thrown certain "free-and-easy" cliques in "club society" of the town into a panic of apprehension.

"This was a bad place when I came here," said Mrs. Frisinger. "It is bad enough now, but much improved, I assure you."

There are too many good-looking widows in this town—twenty-five of them. Handsome widows are a disturbing element in any community, no matter how discreet they may be.

"The worst trouble is not all in the lower quarters. The high-jinks society bunch in the clubs needs watching too. Some of that crowd carry on something scandalous. There's a clique they call 'the wife-traders.'"

Cheap Feed and Fuel.

Baled shucks 12½¢ per bale, 15¢ delivered. Cobs \$1.25 per large wagon load, delivered.

(Adv.) CLEMENT GRAIN CO.

WHITE MOUNTAIN ?

SOUTHERN WELDING CO.

successors to

THE WACO WELDING CO.

Can weld anything under the sun but a broken heart or the break of day.

929 FRANKLIN STREET

Old Phone 1522.

THE MORNING NEWS Want Ad Department is at the service of everybody and offers an effective, at the same time inexpensive way of filling daily wants. The News Want Ad Department offers the way to obtain help for employers, employment for the unemployed, boarders for the boarding houses, tenants for the vacant houses and apartments. Real estate can be bought and sold at a small cost. Through this department of The News lost articles are restored to owners. With the aid of this department many a deal is put through. Indeed, News Want Ads are used every day in the year by all sorts of people with all sorts of wants. News Want Ads save time, cost little and bring results. The Want Ad is one of the benefits of modern times. The News will accept your ad over the phone with the understanding that it is to be paid for upon presentation of bill. Want Ad Department open until 9 o'clock every night, Saturday nights until 10. Both phones 1132.

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IN
THE WACO MORNING
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1 insertion, per word..... 1c
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3 insertions, per word..... 3c
4 insertions, per word..... 4c
5 or more insertions, 1/2c a word for each insertion.

Not ad taken for less than 25c cents.
Sunday paper is counted as Daily.

FOR QUICK SERVICE—
Classified Ads will be taken over the telephone and are payable on presentation by collector the same day the ad runs. Ads for Sunday paper will be properly classified must be in this office before 7 o'clock Saturday night.

Call either phone 1132 and ask for Want Ad Department.

Real Estate for Sale

HUDSON BIG SIX, good as new. 2-story, 8-room residence, 1621 Austin street, at a bargain. Encumbrance due 5 years.

Nice 5-room cottage, 612 No. 224 St. Splendid residence in best residence section in Rosebud, Texas. Will exchange for Waco property.

6-acre tract, with fine improvements including \$5000 residence. 2901 S. 24 St.

134 acres of fine improved land at Bosque bridge on Bosqueville road, with an abundance of fine concrete gravel in which place there is good speculation at price offered.

21-acre farm at Mooreville, Tex., at a sacrifice price.

61-acre farm on the Bosqueville road all in cultivation, cheap.

Also a farm of 92 acres near Cleburne, Tex., clear of encumbrance.

Wanted, to exchange any or all of above property for good farm near Waco or good business property. Will sell any piece of above property at a bargain. Write to suit. Chas. A. Weathered, 1212 Austin, Old phone 74, new 75.

FOR SALE—Equity in two or four choice lots in Oak Lawn Terrace, at 20 per cent discount for cash. New phone 2853.

Real Estate

MRS. HERBERT LITTLE, real estate and rental, room 5, Chalmers Bldg., new phone 2161.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

LEWIS NEW YEAR CARDS. See L. Harris at phone 2000 New Year cards. For sale—A horse and wagon. For sale—A horse and wagon. For sale—A horse and wagon. For sale—A horse and wagon.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Palm Hotel at a sacrifice. Old phone 694.

TYPEWRITER—See the "HAMMOND" before you buy. Writes 350 different styles type and languages. Standard Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Gas stove cheap. 516 Kentucky.

WOOD, WOOD, WOOD—400 stove sticks in cuttings, plenty of wood and water. Will trade for anything worth the money. Coal Oil John, old phone 394.

Furniture on Easy Payments

Big stock. Best goods. Best prices.

Twenty-seven years in Waco. Not in high rent district.

Walk a block and save a dollar.

RAY ROWELL

306-307 Washington St. New Phone 33. Old Phone 591.

Wanted—Miscellaneous

WANT to buy a real estate and fire insurance business in Waco. Address Box 1093, Waco, Texas.

WANTED—50 shoats, Clement Grain Co.

Trade and Exchange

GOOD-AS-NEW HUDSON SIX car for Behrens Drug Co. stock, bank or trust company stock, or vendor lien notes. Will sell on small cash payments. Write Box 134.

ONE HUNDRED ACRE stock farm, about five miles from city limits; 60 acres in cultivation; plenty of wood and water. Will trade for anything worth the money. Coal Oil John, old phone 394.

RESULTS are sure to come if you advertise in the want columns of the Waco Morning News. Just phone 1132 and say "Want Ad" and then tell your wants to the classified man—he will do the rest.

Dentists

DR. W. G. SORRELL, dental surgeon (for colored); 1111 1/2 Bridge St., new phone 1377.

DR. J. M. SANDAVALL, Dentist (for colored); Willis Bldg., Second and Franklin; residence 227 N. 8th; office phone 673.

Wood and Wood Sawing

400 STICKS dry post oak stovewood, \$1 E. B. Daniels, new phone 707.

WOOD SAWING. Ring new phone 1132 and get your wood sawed at once.

Carpet Cleaning

EXPERT CARPET CLEANING, vacuum process; reasonable prices. Wilson's carpet cleaning shop, new phone 1831.

Special Notice

Highest price paid for second-hand rim-out automobiles, tires, Waco Double Tread Tire Co., 121 N. 5th St.

MUSIC, music, music—Mail this ad to Christian's Music Studio, Box 238, Waco, Texas, with your name and address and receive two months' lessons free. We do this to advertise our new studio which opens September 1. Mail it at once.

P. A. BETHORS, Cash Store—Groceries and dry goods; wood and coal. 15th and Mary Sts., new phone 2146.

STOVES and furniture repaired; work guaranteed. Old phone 217, new 157.

DR. HODGES AND HODGES, Veterinarian, office 415-419 Webster St., Waco, Tex. Both phones 247.

MORPHINE, COCAINE, WHISKY, TOBACCO, habits successfully treated without detention from business. M. Anderson, M. D., 613-14 Praetorian Bldg.

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MISS MINNIE OWENS, Public Stenographer, Notary Public, 414 Peedless Bldg., Old phone 582.

LOST the famous child and the special children's soap prepared by Mrs. Jones. Dr. Jones, 412 Franklin.

STENOGRAPHER—Notary public. 704 Amicable.

BAND INSTRUMENTS—All standard makes, new and second hand, always on hand. Charles Parker, Waco, Texas, 503 1/2 Franklin. New phone 1137.

FOR SERVICE—Registered Jersey males, stations and jacks. Both phones 327 102 S. 1st St. S. J. Alexander.

Blacksmithing and Horseshoeing

L. P. OIR, successor to A. Lieber, all kinds of blacksmithing and woodwork. Rubber tires set. Auto wheel tightening a specialty. 423 Elm St., East Waco, new phone 1655.

C. L. PETERSON, horseshoeing a specialty, blacksmithing, wood work and general repairing. Patronage solicited. 118 Taylor St.

EMANUEL V. KNEELAND, horseshoeing and general repairing; work done on short notice. Work guaranteed. 220 S. Sixth St.

Horseshoeing and Blacksmith; best rubber tires \$14 set. Let us paint your bug. R. Anderson, Prop., 226 Washington St., New phone 1687.

JAMES DEVER, general blacksmithing and repairing; carriage painting and rubber tire work. Your patronage solicited; all work guaranteed. Corner 3d and Webster.

Furniture Dealers

MARLOW BROS.—We buy, rent, sell and exchange—second-hand furniture. 310 Franklin St.

Boston Shoe Store

NEW SAMPLE \$4 and \$5 shoes sell here \$2.50, second-hand shoes a specialty. Second-hand clothing bought and sold; goods guaranteed. 217 Franklin St.

Fish and Oysters

BRAZOS FISH MARKET—E. Henry, proprietor. East Side Square, old phone 460, new phone 556.

Money to Loan

LOANS—Real estate, collateral, mortgage and chattel. See W. O. Van Wyck, Agent, 8th floor Amicable Bldg., Waco.

Maps and Blue Prints

MY MAPS for sale by W. H. Jones, 301 Times Herald Bldg.

Auto Repair Shops

MUEHL'S AUTO PAINT SHOP—High-class auto and carriage painting; makers' work, old cars recovered, seat covers, dust hoods, cushions, etc. 212 N. 2d St., new phone 1478.

New Washington Street Garage. Open day and night. Buick cars a specialty. 50c per hour. W. M. Bray, manager; 12 years experience. Satisfaction guaranteed. 102 Washington St., New phone 1806.

Livestock

FIRST-CLASS mare for family use; 15 hands high; for sale, with Stanhope and harness, cheap. New telephone 1144.

Cut Flowers and Designs

WACO FLORAL CO.—Salesroom Masonic Bldg., 8th and Washington Sts., both phones 2856. Choices cut flowers and designs a specialty. Waco, Tex.

Automobiles, Tires, Etc.

THE NEW AUTO EXCHANGE buys and sells cars on commission. Expert auto repairing, rebuilding, machine shop, ready all magnets and self-starter trouble. Gus Seneral, Prop., 611 Franklin St.

THAD P. DEAN, automobile supplies, Miller tires, made strong, last long. 1002 Austin St., new phone 301.

Hat Works

ROBERTS THE HATTER, exclusive hat store; hats cleaned and blocked. 707 Austin St., new phone 130.

STANDARD HAT WORKS, high-class remodeling, cleaning and blocking. Special prices to agents and stores. New phone 672. 119 N. 5th St., Waco, Texas.

Rooms for Rent

TWO completely furnished housekeeping rooms. Block from Sanger's. 217 N. 4th.

FOUR unfurnished rooms for rent; two upstairs and two downstairs; suitable for light housekeeping; all conveniences. Old phone 45.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, with sink in kitchen; reasonable price. 123 S. 4th.

FOR RENT—3 or 4 unfurnished rooms at 1728 McKenzie. Mrs. E. Chappell.

FOR RENT—To couple, two complete furnished housekeeping rooms, private bath, water and light. 1425 Washington St., old phone 1892.

FOR RENT—Attractive 5-room apt., natural gas for heating if desired. 1108 Austin, new phone 1892.

NICELY furnished rooms, with modern conveniences, reasonable price. North 12th St., old phone 533.

FOR RENT—3 or 4 connecting unfurnished rooms, with all modern conveniences, reasonable price. North 12th St., old phone 533.

FOR RENT—Two new rooms, unfurnished; cheap. 516 Kentucky.

THREE furnished connecting rooms; bath, lights, water; to couple without children; references exchanged. Particulars ring southwestern 216.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with all modern conveniences, to couples or men. New phone 2073, or apply 1099 Washington.

TWO south connecting rooms; also one south room, kitchenette, furnished complete for light housekeeping. New phone 1561.

SOUTHEAST room with private family. 917 Austin, phones 2244.

FOR RENT—Nice, cool, desirable rooms, Palm Hotel. Old phone 604.

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FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, with modern conveniences. 506 Jefferson St., new phone 2225. Mrs. Blake.

WELL FURNISHED southeast rooms for light housekeeping. 611 S. 5th. Old phone 1690, new phone 817.

NICELY furnished south rooms, with bath and sleeping porch. 926 Washington, old phone 1901.

FURNISHED ROOMS in heart of city; rates reasonable. 612 1/2 Austin.

Houses and Flats for Rent

4-ROOM cottage, with all modern conveniences and servants' room. Corner Sanger and 22d. New phone 333.

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room upstairs apartment, bath, sleeping porch and private entrance. 2301 N. 5th St., new phone 874.

FOR RENT—A nice 5-room house, Dallas St. Old phone 874.

TWO very desirable upstairs rooms, will rent either as housekeeping apartments or as a single room without board. 927 Washington St.

FOR RENT—1120 N. 9th, 6 rooms and bath, newly papered and painted; all modern conveniences. Ring old phone 1110.

5-ROOM cottage, hall, bath, electric lights, gas, barn and all other modern conveniences; rent reasonable. 1007 N. 14th, corner 11th and Burleson, old phone 193.

Wanted to Rent

FIVE or 6-room house, in good condition close in; what have you to offer? Miss Mary Leach, new phone 1814W.

Room and Board

NICELY furnished rooms, with or without board; rates reasonable. 610 S. 5th. Old phone 714.

WANTED—Occupants for 430 rooms, with board. New phone 385, old 1906.

Office and Store Room

FOR RENT—Storage room, 617 Jackson St. Ed Strayer, old phone 1441.

FOR RENT—Store building, 621 Austin St. after Aug. 31. Call No. 8, either phone.

FOR RENT—Store house on Austin Ave., good location. Address J. H. Riley, suite 501 Praetorian Bldg.

Laundries

EAST SIDE LAUNDRY, O. E. Moor, Mgr. Our work our best advertiser. Phones 1414.

BRAZOS LAUNDRY CO., D. C. Hays, Manager, 418-420 S. 11th St., new phone 716, old phone 719, Waco, Texas.

Moving and Storage

DILWORTH & GEORGE, moving, packing, shipping, storage and heavy hauling. 58 Franklin St., old phone 2554.

MOVING—packing, storing and shipping; also work sawing. We move anything. Phone us. New phone 1194.

Planing Mills

WINDOW GLASS, polished plate glass for auto windshields; window screens and screen doors, our specialties. Also mill work of every description. Write or phone C. M. Trautschold Co., 739 N. Franklin, new phone 1534, old phone 790.

Restaurants and Cafes

PARTIES leaving from the Cotton Ball station can secure first-class lunches on short notice at Postoffice Cafe, opposite depot.

"DO YOU LOVE TO EAT? No doubt you do. Then take your meals at the Richardson." Good meals 25c; short orders. We try to please. 522 Austin St., old phone 672.

Male Help Wanted

WANTED—Two bell boys at once. Exchange Hotel.

WANTED—200 men, immediately, for ditching an oil pipe line; good wages, piece work, good camps for boarding; work for several months. Apply on job, foreman MacPherson Camp, Corsicana, Texas, or MacPherson Camp, Simsboro (near Teague), Texas.

ONE-HALF price sale, tailored to measure, uncleaned, high-class clothing, all sizes and styles. Steam cleaning, pressing and repairing by expert tailors. New York Tailors, Fourth and Washington Sts.

RESULTS are sure to come if you advertise in the want columns of the Waco Morning News. Just phone 1132 and say "Want Ad" and then tell your wants to the classified man—he will do the rest.

WANTED—Every boy and girl to get a goody-free. Lots of fun. See Circulation Manager, News.

Female Help Wanted

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Agents Wanted

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Banks

FARMERS' IMPROVEMENT BANK, 109 Bridge St., new phone 996, invites your account. Safety first our motto.

Photographers

POST CARDS finished in 20 minutes. Morning News. Just phone 1132 and say "Want Ad" and then tell your wants to the classified man—he will do the rest.

Lawyers

R. D. EVANS, attorney and counselor-at-law; insurance, divorce, damage and land suits a specialty. Your business solicited. Offices 120 1/2 S. 3d and square; new phone 1553.

Fire and Burglar Proof Safes

FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES. We sell the Herring-Hall-Martin safe and Vault Doors. Some good second-hand safes in stock. Norman H. Smith & Co., 410 Austin St., Waco, Texas.

Plumbers

TEXAS PLUMBING CO., plumbing, steam and hot water heating; natural gas fitting. 214 S. 8th St. Call 236, new phone.

Bakeries

HOME BAKERY—Fresh bread, jitney rolls, cakes and pies daily; try our Snow Flake bread. Your patronage appreciated. Sanger, Prop., 619 Washington St., new phone 1211.

VINCENT'S cottage rolls and Beech-Nut bread are the best always fresh at the home bakery. Call for delivery.

WILLIAMS BAKERY, originator of the "Knap" bread. Bread, cakes and pies made fresh daily. 817 S. 11th St., new phone 26032.

Sanitariums

THE SUNNY SOUTH SANITARIUM—For the treatment of all drug and whiskey habits. Corner 5th and Clay Sts. New phone 1627. Waco, Texas.

J. M. Huddleston, Physician in Charge.

Brick Manufacturers

BUILD WITH BRICK—Patronize home manufacturers. Hartz Brick Co., 1115 Dallas St., new phone 2476.

Decorators

ED SCHNEIDER, contractor in painting, paper hanging, glazing, etc., all first-class prices, moderate. Office 810 Jackson St., new phone 1502.

Bottling Works

IRON BREW, the tollers beverage, manufactured by Waco Bottling Works, phones 123.

Packing Houses

ROBINSON PACKING CO.—Dressed meats, provisions, lard, hams, breakfast bacon, sausage of all kinds, etc. Corner South 11th and Gurley Sts. Old phone 1072, new phone 1073, Waco, Texas.

Tinners and Cornice Makers

L. G. MYE, tinner and cornice maker, 58 Franklin St., old phone 2554.

Independent phone 274.

Drug Stores

J. E. GUTHRIE, druggist; personal attention to prescriptions. 315 S. 8th St. Phones, new 5153, old 972.

NEW-TEMPLE DRUG STORE, prescription druggists. Prescriptions accurately compounded. Corner 8th and Washington Sts., phones 535.

Dressmaking and Ladies' Tailoring

DRESSMAKING AND LADIES' TAILORING—Mrs. Cass Shipless, late of San Antonio, will be pleased to share the patronage of the ladies of Waco and vicinity. She is second to none in her profession. Tailored suits, evening and dinner gowns; also simple costumes. Prices reasonable. 1012 Austin Ave., new phone 227.

Chili Parlors

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ATTEND TOBY'S BUSINESS COLLEGE NOW ENROLLING. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

Coal, Wood and Ice

W. D. LACY COAL CO.—Wholesale shippers of coal in all sizes, office 11th and Jackson Sts., phones 22, Waco, Tex.

J. A. RITTER, dealer in wood and ice. Old fashioned mill grinding. 708 Elm St., new phone 1011.

Repair Work

L. J. CAMPBELL, locksmith, saw filing, lawn mower, scissor and knife sharpening. Repair work of all kinds. 122 Washington St.

Repair Work

CENTRAL REPAIR SHOP—We fix anything—guns, locks, keys, etc. Lawn mowers, knives, etc., sharpened. W. P. Hyatt, proprietor. 210 N. 4th St.

Outdoor Advertising

THE EDWARDS CO.—Poster advertising, printed bulletins, wall service. 11th and Webster Sts., old phone 746, Waco, Texas.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD

Livery Stables

THE PALACE STABLE—Light livery, boarding a specialty, charges reasonable. Paul Prager, 299 S. 7th St., both phones 269.

Situations Wanted

A COMPETENT BOOKKEEPER wants a small set of books to keep; can furnish references. Address P. O. Box 1213.

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Millinery

FOR millinery, dressmaking and human hair goods, call on Mrs. P. Boyd, the colored milliner, 123 S. Second St., new phone 2181.

Mattress Factories

